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VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF
TERRENCE DUGGER

January 23, 2019

Indianapolis, Indiana

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1 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are now on the record. My

2 name is Anthony Micheletto. I am the videographer for

3 Golkow Litigation Services.

4 Today's date is January 23rd, 2019. The

5 time is 9:16 a.m., as indicated on the video screen.

6 This video deposition is being held in

7 Indianapolis, Indiana, in the matter of In Re:

8 National Prescription Opiate Litigation in the

9 United States District Court for the Northern District

10 of Ohio, Eastern Division.

11 Our deponent is Terrence Dugger.

12 Will counsel please identify themselves

13 for the video record?

14 MR. GOETZ: Dan Goetz on behalf of the

15 Plaintiffs.

16 MR. ELSNER: Michael Elsner on behalf of the

17 Plaintiffs.

18 MS. HARMON: Sarah Harmon, Armstrong Teasdale,

19 on behalf of Cardinal Health.

20 MR. MONAHAN: Matthew Monahan, Williams &

21 Connolly, on behalf of Cardinal Health and the

22 witness.

23 MR. CLARK: Miles Clark from Zuckerman Spaeder

24 on behalf of CVS Indiana, LLC, CVS Rx Services, Inc.,

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1 and the witness in his capacity as a former employee

2 of CVS.

3 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Counsel on the phone?

4 MR. KOUBA: Good morning. This is David Kouba

5 of Arnold & Porter on behalf of the Endo and Par

6 Pharmaceutical Defendants.

7 MR. DUBOIS: This is Patrick Dubois from Jones

8 Day on behalf of Walmart.

9 MS. SETILI WOOD: And Jaclyn Setili Wood on

10 behalf of AmerisourceBergen.

11 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Our court reporter today is

12 Juliana Zajicek.

13 Please swear in the witness.

14 (WHEREUPON, the witness was duly

15 sworn.)

16 TERRENCE DUGGER,

17 called as a witness herein, having been first duly

18 sworn, was examined and testified as follows:

19 EXAMINATION

20 BY MR. GOETZ:

21 Q. Mr. Dugger, my name is Dan Goetz. We met

22 earlier before we started.

23 If I ask you a question that you don't

24 understand, please tell me and I'll clarify it. By

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 10</p> <p>1 the same token, if you answer a question, I'll assume</p> <p>2 you understood it.</p> <p>3 Fair enough?</p> <p>4 A. That's fair.</p> <p>5 Q. Okay. What did you do to prepare for</p> <p>6 today's testimony?</p> <p>7 A. I met with the attorneys.</p> <p>8 Q. Which attorneys, when you say "the</p> <p>9 attorneys"?</p> <p>10 A. Miles Clark and Matthew -- sorry,</p> <p>11 Matthew -- Monahan is the last name.</p> <p>12 Q. And -- and when did you meet with Miles</p> <p>13 Clark?</p> <p>14 A. Yesterday evening, maybe two days prior to</p> <p>15 that, probably a total of maybe nine hours or so.</p> <p>16 Q. And when did you meet with Mr. Monahan?</p> <p>17 A. Yesterday.</p> <p>18 Q. When?</p> <p>19 A. Yesterday around three o'clock or so.</p> <p>20 Q. For how long?</p> <p>21 A. Three o'clock p.m.</p> <p>22 Q. For how long?</p> <p>23 A. Maybe an hour-and-a-half.</p> <p>24 Q. Was Mr. Clark present?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 12</p> <p>1 Q. Okay. And so Mr. Monahan, who represents</p> <p>2 Cardinal and said that he represents you, is it your</p> <p>3 understanding the reason for that arrangement is</p> <p>4 because you currently work at Cardinal?</p> <p>5 MR. MONAHAN: Counsel, I can confirm I am</p> <p>6 representing him because he is a current Cardinal</p> <p>7 Health employee.</p> <p>8 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>9 Q. Where did you go to college?</p> <p>10 A. Georgia State -- well, I went to several.</p> <p>11 So there was West Georgia College in Carrollton,</p> <p>12 Georgia; there was Atlanta Metropolitan College in</p> <p>13 Atlanta; there is Georgia State University in downtown</p> <p>14 Atlanta; and University of Cincinnati Distance</p> <p>15 Learning.</p> <p>16 Q. Okay. What degree did you receive from</p> <p>17 Georgia State?</p> <p>18 A. Bachelor's of science in criminal justice.</p> <p>19 Q. And what degree did you receive from</p> <p>20 University of Cincinnati?</p> <p>21 A. A master's of science in criminal justice.</p> <p>22 Q. And when was that degree from the</p> <p>23 University of Cincinnati?</p> <p>24 A. 2007, August of 2007, commencement was</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 11</p> <p>1 A. No.</p> <p>2 Q. Was anybody else present?</p> <p>3 A. No.</p> <p>4 Q. Are you currently employed by Cardinal?</p> <p>5 A. I am.</p> <p>6 Q. And is that your understanding why</p> <p>7 Cardinal has provided you with an -- an attorney</p> <p>8 today?</p> <p>9 A. Because I'm employed there?</p> <p>10 Q. Yes.</p> <p>11 A. That's not my understanding. I'm just --</p> <p>12 I was told that I needed to be here, so I'm here.</p> <p>13 Q. Okay. Do you understand that Mr. Monahan</p> <p>14 represents Cardinal?</p> <p>15 A. He explained that.</p> <p>16 Q. Okay. And do you understand that when he</p> <p>17 went on the record, he said that he represented you?</p> <p>18 A. I understand that.</p> <p>19 Q. Okay. Are you aware that he represented</p> <p>20 you before you heard that today?</p> <p>21 A. I am now. It may have been said prior to</p> <p>22 that, but I'm aware of it now.</p> <p>23 Q. You don't have a memory of that?</p> <p>24 A. No, I don't.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 13</p> <p>1 December of '07.</p> <p>2 Q. That degree that you earned from</p> <p>3 University of Cincinnati was while you were working</p> <p>4 for CVS?</p> <p>5 A. It was.</p> <p>6 Q. Okay. And so you worked for CVS from June</p> <p>7 of 2005 to November of 2011?</p> <p>8 A. That is correct.</p> <p>9 Q. What -- who was your actual employer?</p> <p>10 A. CVS.</p> <p>11 Q. CVS what?</p> <p>12 A. CVS Pharmacy.</p> <p>13 Q. Okay. Is that where your paycheck came</p> <p>14 from, CVS Pharmacy?</p> <p>15 A. It said it on the paycheck. I'm not sure</p> <p>16 where it came from.</p> <p>17 Q. Do you have any other degrees other than</p> <p>18 those two we just spoke about?</p> <p>19 A. An associate degree from Atlanta</p> <p>20 Metropolitan, also in criminal justice.</p> <p>21 Q. And do you have any other certificates</p> <p>22 other than those two we've just spoke about?</p> <p>23 A. What do you mean by certificates?</p> <p>24 Q. Any other training, any other certificates</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 14</p> <p>1 of training?</p> <p>2 A. Several. There is Wicklander's and</p> <p>3 Zulawski's.</p> <p>4 Q. Sorry?</p> <p>5 A. Wicklander and Zulawski, interviewing and</p> <p>6 interrogation techniques, I've had that twice. RCRA</p> <p>7 training which is a part -- RCRA.</p> <p>8 Q. Can you spell that?</p> <p>9 A. It's an acronym, R-C-R-A. It is basically</p> <p>10 EPA training as it relates to, I think it's a reser --</p> <p>11 conservation act. I can't exactly -- remember exactly</p> <p>12 what the acronym stands for, but it relates to how you</p> <p>13 handle -- handle -- how you handle hazardous waste,</p> <p>14 DOT training as it relates to hazardous materials</p> <p>15 training, probably OSHA 10-hour training, OSHA 30-hour</p> <p>16 training. That's all I can remember at this point.</p> <p>17 Q. What was the OSHA training about?</p> <p>18 A. Really just hazard communication, how you</p> <p>19 educate your employees, training your employees, just</p> <p>20 being educated on certain aspects of 29 CFR.</p> <p>21 Q. I -- I don't -- you need to be a little</p> <p>22 bit --</p> <p>23 A. 29 Code of Federal Regulations.</p> <p>24 Q. Okay. Related to what, though? Was it</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 16</p> <p>1 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>2 A. It could be about any investigation.</p> <p>3 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>4 Q. Okay. What other types of investigations</p> <p>5 did you cover?</p> <p>6 A. Did they cover in the training or did I</p> <p>7 cover?</p> <p>8 Q. Did they cover in the training?</p> <p>9 A. It was really -- they didn't really</p> <p>10 cover -- I don't recall them covering any types of</p> <p>11 investigation. It was more so because the training is</p> <p>12 supposed to -- sorry.</p> <p>13 So the training -- the training is</p> <p>14 supposed to cover any types of investigation that may</p> <p>15 take place. So if it's one where a person has taken</p> <p>16 money from a register, then you would know how to go</p> <p>17 about getting the information from them.</p> <p>18 Q. When did you have that training?</p> <p>19 A. I've had it twice. Once in the '90s, and</p> <p>20 I can't remember when, and again probably 2012.</p> <p>21 Q. The training in 2012 was when you had</p> <p>22 already left CVS, correct?</p> <p>23 A. That is correct.</p> <p>24 Q. And the training in the '90s was many</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 15</p> <p>1 workplace safety?</p> <p>2 A. Yes, workplace safety.</p> <p>3 Q. Okay. Anything other than workplace</p> <p>4 safety related to the OSHA training?</p> <p>5 A. Not that I can recall.</p> <p>6 Q. Okay. And the -- the first one you</p> <p>7 mentioned, Wickland and Zulawski?</p> <p>8 A. Wicklander.</p> <p>9 Q. Wicklander and Zulawski?</p> <p>10 A. And Zulawski, yeah.</p> <p>11 Q. And you -- you said that was</p> <p>12 investigation?</p> <p>13 A. It's the -- the name of the course is</p> <p>14 Interviewing and Interrogation Techniques.</p> <p>15 Q. Does that relate to theft, is that what</p> <p>16 that was about?</p> <p>17 A. It -- it is about just how you conduct</p> <p>18 interviews for theft related or whether it is</p> <p>19 employees or -- whether it is internal or external</p> <p>20 type of theft, just how you sit down across from an</p> <p>21 employee and -- or person to elicit information.</p> <p>22 Q. It was about theft investigations, though,</p> <p>23 correct?</p> <p>24 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 17</p> <p>1 years before you came to CVS, correct?</p> <p>2 A. That is right.</p> <p>3 Q. Okay. And so that -- none of that</p> <p>4 training was while you were at CVS, just so we're</p> <p>5 clear?</p> <p>6 A. The training for the Zulawski --</p> <p>7 Q. Yes.</p> <p>8 A. -- and Wicklander?</p> <p>9 No, that training did not occur when I was</p> <p>10 at CVS.</p> <p>11 Q. After you graduated, can you give me your</p> <p>12 job history?</p> <p>13 A. After I graduated when?</p> <p>14 Q. From Georgia State.</p> <p>15 A. At the time I was currently employed with</p> <p>16 Rich's Department Store. It was -- actually the name</p> <p>17 of the company was Rich's Lazarus Goldsmith, or RLG.</p> <p>18 They were a part of Federated Department Stores. And</p> <p>19 I was there from '90 -- from '93 to '98. So, that's</p> <p>20 where I worked at the time I graduated from Georgia</p> <p>21 State.</p> <p>22 Q. What did you do there?</p> <p>23 A. Loss prevention -- well, several roles.</p> <p>24 It was in loss prevention. I started out as a store</p>

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1 detective where my job was to perform audits on the
 2 floor to ensure that sensormatic tags and things along
 3 those lines were on product, to catch shoplifters. I
 4 moved from store detective to a senior store detective
 5 where the concentration was more on employee theft.
 6 And then -- and I forget the year, it could have been
 7 '96, I was promoted to a loss prevention manager at
 8 one of the department stores there in Atlanta.
 9 Q. When I mention "controlled substances," do
 10 you know what that refers to?
 11 A. I do.
 12 Q. Okay. And so that Rich's Department
 13 Store, none of that work was related to the monitoring
 14 of controlled substances?
 15 A. It did not have any controlled substances.
 16 Q. What did you do after Rich's?
 17 A. After Rich's, I worked -- I went to --
 18 moved to Ohio, still with RLG, which is Rich's Lazarus
 19 Goldsmiths again, and they have the Lazarus stores up
 20 there, nameplate, and that was in Miamisburg, Ohio, it
 21 is right outside of Dayton, Ohio. Don't go there.
 22 But -- so I was there for a bit. And I
 23 left there and started working for Sears here in
 24 Indianapolis, and that was in the fall of '98.

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1 Q. At Lazarus did you do the same thing as
 2 you did at Rich's?
 3 A. I did. I just had more FHEs, or full-hire
 4 employees.
 5 Q. And you came to Sears in '98.
 6 How long were you there?
 7 A. The fall of '98 until May of 2000.
 8 Q. And what -- what did you do there?
 9 A. Some of the same things I did with Rich's.
 10 The store -- the -- the product base is a little
 11 different, but it was an -- as an asset protection
 12 manager. My job really revolves around safety, safety
 13 and general liability as well as workmen's comp, which
 14 I never really handled at the Rich's Department Store,
 15 so it was my first time really, you know, going into
 16 that area, but that's what I did until May of 2000.
 17 Q. And, again, that job had nothing to do
 18 with the monitoring of controlled substances, correct?
 19 A. It did not.
 20 Q. What did you do after Sears?
 21 A. After Sears I went -- I started working
 22 for Airborne Express in Chicago as a corporate
 23 investigator. I started there in June of -- of 2000.
 24 And, again, I was there. My job was to conduct

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1 investigations as it related to freight being taken or
 2 packages being stolen and handling other
 3 security-related events there within the -- within the
 4 company.
 5 Q. How long were you there?
 6 A. I was with -- well, the company was bought
 7 out by DHL, and I can't remember the year. I
 8 apologize. It may have been 2002, 2003. But I was
 9 there with Airborne Express/DHL Express USA until
 10 June -- May or June of 2005.
 11 Q. Again, that job had nothing to do with the
 12 monitoring of controlled substances?
 13 A. I did not monitor any controlled
 14 substances there.
 15 Q. In June of 2005 you came to work for CVS?
 16 A. That's correct.
 17 Q. And you were here until November of '11?
 18 A. That's correct.
 19 Q. What was your job when you were hired at
 20 CVS?
 21 A. Logistics, loss prevention manager.
 22 Q. How long did you hold that job?
 23 A. During my duration there.
 24 Q. When you were hired, did your job have

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1 anything to do with monitoring of controlled
 2 substances?
 3 MR. CLARK: Object to form.
 4 BY MR. GOETZ:
 5 Q. You can answer.
 6 A. Oh. I did never monitored any type of
 7 controlled substances while there.
 8 Q. Never in -- in your six years?
 9 A. Well, you asked me when I was hired there
 10 was that my job. And I'm saying that was not my job
 11 when I first started working there.
 12 Q. Okay. What -- what did you do when you
 13 first started working there?
 14 A. It was to -- really safety, the -- the
 15 welfare of the employees there, to perform audits,
 16 whether it was safety, a slew of training to ensure
 17 that employees were kept abreast as to, you know,
 18 certain OSHA-related trainings, regulatory trainings,
 19 that of hazardous materials as well, security,
 20 ensuring that -- that the facility, you know, was
 21 secure.
 22 And I supervised three salaried employees
 23 and depending on exactly how -- what time of the year
 24 it was and whether or not CVS had made an acquisition,

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 22</p> <p>1 anywhere between six to ten indirect reports or hourly 2 employees. 3 Q. And how long did you have those 4 responsibilities? 5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 6 BY THE WITNESS: 7 A. From really the time I started there until 8 November of 2011. 9 BY MR. GOETZ: 10 Q. At some point you started monitoring 11 controlled substances? 12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 13 BY THE WITNESS: 14 A. I never monitored any controlled 15 substances. 16 BY MR. GOETZ: 17 Q. Do you know what this litigation is about? 18 A. I have an idea. 19 Q. What's your understanding? 20 A. That a -- towns in Ohio is suing, I would 21 I think at that point, several companies because of 22 opioids. 23 Q. What is your understanding as to why CVS 24 was being sued?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 24</p> <p>1 that have filed lawsuits, okay? 2 A. Uh-huh. 3 Q. The claims against CVS and Cardinal relate 4 to their failure to monitor when they distributed 5 opioids, okay. 6 Do you understand that? Can -- can we 7 have that understanding about what this litigation is 8 about? 9 A. Yes. 10 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 11 BY MR. GOETZ: 12 Q. CVS distributed, are you aware during your 13 time period there, they distributed hydrocodone 14 combination products? 15 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 16 BY THE WITNESS: 17 A. I don't -- well, I don't -- I never recall 18 CVS distributing anything. I know they did transfers 19 to their stores, you know, the pharmacies. You know, 20 you have a distribution center and you transfer 21 product to the stores. I never knew they distributed 22 anything. 23 BY MR. GOETZ: 24 Q. Are -- are you aware that CVS was a --</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 23</p> <p>1 MR. CLARK: I would just like to caution and 2 remind you not to disclose in answering these 3 questions conversations you and I have had, privileged 4 conversations you and I have had. 5 THE WITNESS: Okay. 6 BY THE WITNESS: 7 Q. What was your question again? I'm sorry. 8 BY MR. GOETZ: 9 Q. Other than what you've discussed with 10 counsel, what you've learned from counsel, what is 11 your understanding as to why CVS is being sued? 12 A. I don't have an understanding, no. 13 Q. Okay. Other than discussing with Cardinal 14 counsel, do you have an understanding as to why 15 Cardinal is being sued? 16 A. No idea at all. 17 Q. I will tell you, I will represent to you, 18 and if I'm wrong, they can correct me, that the 19 current lawsuits -- 20 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 21 BY MR. GOETZ: 22 Q. -- the current lawsuits relate to the 23 distribution of opioids into Cuyahoga and Summit 24 County as well as many other states, municipalities</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 25</p> <p>1 strike that. 2 Are you aware that CVS, the CVS Indiana 3 distribution center where you worked was a licensed 4 DEA distributor for controlled substances? 5 A. Yes. 6 Q. Okay. And so they were a distributor, can 7 we agree with that? 8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 9 BY THE WITNESS: 10 A. From a DEA perspective in terms of giving 11 them a DEA registrant number, yes. 12 BY MR. GOETZ: 13 Q. And so when you said that they just 14 transfer -- 15 A. Yeah. 16 Q. -- what did you mean by that? 17 A. Well, because it is all CVS and you are 18 sending it to a CVS store. There is not an outside 19 entity that you're giving product to. You are sending 20 it to your own store. So in my mind it is, like a, 21 just a transfer, it goes to other CVS stores. 22 Q. Okay. Did -- in -- in your mind do you 23 think that they had any less obligation because they 24 were just transferring, so they are just taking it</p>

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1 from the manufacturer and giving it to the pharmacy,
 2 did the distributor -- did the CVS Indiana have any
 3 obligation in your mind?
 4 A. Obligation --
 5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 6 BY THE WITNESS:
 7 A. Obligation to do what?
 8 BY MR. GOETZ:
 9 Q. To monitor those controlled substances.
 10 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 11 BY THE WITNESS:
 12 A. I guess when you mean monitor, there -- so
 13 inside the facility itself there at the distribution
 14 center, you have DEA regulations that require you to
 15 keep the drugs within, you know, certain -- make sure
 16 they are secured. But other than that, I'm un -- I'm
 17 unsure.
 18 BY MR. GOETZ:
 19 Q. It's your understanding that when you talk
 20 about DEA regulations, make sure they are secured, are
 21 we talking about the controlled substances cage?
 22 A. We are talking about does DEA -- anything
 23 that's a drug that is deemed by DEA to be secured
 24 within that particular facility, it was secured. So

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1 whether there were Schedule Vs, Schedule IV,
 2 Schedule III or pseudoephedrine, which I don't think
 3 there is any regulations specifically for that. At
 4 that time I don't think there were. Those were kept
 5 behind cage that was specified by the DEA, the local
 6 DEA.
 7 Q. What I'm confused about is you said that
 8 the DEA regulations required you to keep certain
 9 substances secured, correct?
 10 A. Yes.
 11 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 12 BY MR. GOETZ:
 13 Q. And you -- we just talked about Schedule
 14 III, Schedule IV, Schedule V, correct?
 15 A. Yes.
 16 Q. And you talked about pseudoephedrine --
 17 A. Yes.
 18 Q. -- correct?
 19 A. Yeah.
 20 Q. Okay. How did you keep them secured,
 21 if -- if that's your understanding that was your
 22 obligation?
 23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 24 BY THE WITNESS:

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1 A. Oh, they were kept secured behind -- I
 2 think the name of the -- the -- the name of the
 3 company that manufactured the wire is WireCrafters, I
 4 believe. And that could be, you know, it is hard to
 5 remember that, but I remember the DEA actually coming
 6 in and approving the cage, actually giving their idea
 7 as to how the cage needed to be.
 8 And based on what they said, that is what
 9 you did in terms of building the cage and ensuring
 10 that whatever controls are in place were in place
 11 based on what the DEA told you to do.
 12 BY MR. GOETZ:
 13 Q. So the cage I understand. And then you
 14 just said "whatever controls are in place."
 15 What controls are you speaking about?
 16 A. Just securing the drugs in terms of who
 17 can go inside and who can't.
 18 Q. So what -- what -- when you talk about
 19 that DEA obligation, it's to make sure that there
 20 isn't theft, correct?
 21 A. It's to ensure that the regulations are
 22 followed.
 23 Q. Okay. And what regulations are there
 24 that's your understanding?

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1 A. As it relates to the security of them,
 2 ensuring that they are within the cage.
 3 Q. Any other DEA regulation you are aware of?
 4 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 5 BY THE WITNESS:
 6 A. As it relates to what?
 7 BY MR. GOETZ:
 8 Q. As it relates to the Schedule III drugs
 9 that CVS was distributing.
 10 A. No, not that I recall, I mean. It's
 11 been -- it's -- it's been a while since I worked at
 12 CVS.
 13 Q. I -- I -- I appreciate that, but you did
 14 spend time with your lawyers, correct, a lawyer from
 15 CVS and a lawyer from Cardinal?
 16 A. I did.
 17 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 18 BY MR. GOETZ:
 19 Q. And you did spend a number of years after
 20 you left CVS working in controlled substances,
 21 correct?
 22 A. Correct.
 23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 24 BY MR. GOETZ:

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 30</p> <p>1 Q. Okay. So, when we talk about a number of 2 years, that's not really fair to the Plaintiffs to say 3 it's been a number of years because, one, you've had a 4 chance to meet with two sets of lawyers and you did 5 this after you left CVS in 2011?</p> <p>6 A. Well, you are asking me about CVS. You 7 are not asking me about anything that happened after 8 CVS. So I was really -- my point was making that it's 9 been a while since I worked at CVS.</p> <p>10 MR. CLARK: I'm sorry. I object to the form of 11 that. And just -- sorry. I didn't want to interrupt.</p> <p>12 THE WITNESS: No, don't apologize.</p> <p>13 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>14 Q. So after you left CVS, what was your 15 understanding about DEA regulations?</p> <p>16 A. I didn't have any --</p> <p>17 Q. Okay.</p> <p>18 A. -- understanding at that point in time 19 because when I left CVS, the job I went to had no 20 dealings with DEA regulations at the time.</p> <p>21 Q. Do you have a LinkedIn page?</p> <p>22 A. I do.</p> <p>23 Q. Do you maintain that LinkedIn page?</p> <p>24 A. I try to.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 32</p> <p>1 A. I believe they are now defunct. It was a 2 company that had several other companies underneath 3 its umbrella.</p> <p>4 Q. Was it affiliated with Cardinal?</p> <p>5 A. At the time that I started working there, 6 no.</p> <p>7 Q. Okay. Did it eventually become affiliated 8 with Cardinal?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. Okay. And so after you left The Harvard 11 Drug Group, you then went to Cardinal, correct, they 12 were affiliated and you moved to Cardinal --</p> <p>13 MR. MONAHAN: Object to form.</p> <p>14 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>15 Q. -- as your employer?</p> <p>16 A. Well --</p> <p>17 MR. MONAHAN: Object to form.</p> <p>18 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>19 A. Well, it was just an acquisition, so I 20 don't -- I didn't really leave. It was just merged 21 together.</p> <p>22 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>23 Q. And -- and can you look at the Cardinal -- 24 or The Harvard Drug Group, and tell me if I'm reading</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 31</p> <p>1 Q. Okay. You try to put honest information 2 on that LinkedIn page?</p> <p>3 A. Absolutely.</p> <p>4 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>5 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>6 A. Absolutely.</p> <p>7 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 8 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition 9 Exhibit No. 1, for identification, as 10 of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. Okay. I'm handing you what's been marked 13 as Exhibit 1.</p> <p>14 Do you recognize that?</p> <p>15 A. It appears to be a copy, a printout of my 16 LinkedIn page.</p> <p>17 Q. And after you left CVS, you worked for The 18 Harvard Drug Group?</p> <p>19 A. Well, when I left CVS, I worked for the 20 Stage Stores.</p> <p>21 Q. And then after that you went to work for 22 The Harvard Drug Group?</p> <p>23 A. That is correct.</p> <p>24 Q. And what is The Harvard Drug Group?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 33</p> <p>1 this correctly. This is the first sentence you put on 2 your job.</p> <p>3 A. Okay.</p> <p>4 Q. "Responsible for, but not limited to: 5 Overseeing, monitoring, and coordinating all aspects 6 of network's distribution center's compliance 7 including DEA," and then you list a few other 8 government entities, correct?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. Okay.</p> <p>11 Is that -- is that wrong? Did -- did you 12 not ensure compliance with DEA regulations while at 13 The Harvard Drug Group?</p> <p>14 MR. MONAHAN: Object to the form.</p> <p>15 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>16 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>17 A. Well, I wrote here that it was all aspects 18 of the network's distribution center's compliance, so 19 that was specifically what The Harvard Drug Group had 20 to comply with.</p> <p>21 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>22 Q. Which was what?</p> <p>23 A. Ensuring that the drugs were secure there 24 in that particular location.</p>

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1 Q. And -- and that's my question. That's
 2 your only understanding of DEA regulations?
 3 A. That's not my only understanding, but
 4 that's the job what I was doing at that particular
 5 time was to secure the drugs.
 6 Q. What are the other understanding? What --
 7 what -- what do you understand the distributor's other
 8 obligations are?
 9 MR. MONAHAN: Object to the form.
 10 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 11 BY THE WITNESS:
 12 A. To, one, ensure that the 222 forms are
 13 completed, to file 601s if there is a loss or a theft
 14 regarding controlled substances, and to reconcile
 15 your -- your numbers, your drugs to ensure that
 16 they're reported.
 17 BY MR. GOETZ:
 18 Q. You said the 222 form?
 19 A. Yes.
 20 Q. What's your understanding of what that is?
 21 A. I didn't start doing that right away when
 22 I got to The Harvard Drug Group, but it is a job I
 23 took on maybe in the last eight to -- six to eight
 24 months that I was there, but it is a form that is used

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1 by companies to order controlled substances from at
 2 this point The Harvard Drug Group. It was actually
 3 Major Pharmaceuticals, which is under that Harvard
 4 Drug Group umbrella.
 5 Q. What type of controlled substances?
 6 A. I can't remember, but they were just
 7 Schedule V, IV and III drugs at the time, but I can't
 8 remember exactly between.
 9 Q. And what about a Form 601?
 10 MR. MONAHAN: Object to the form.
 11 BY THE WITNESS:
 12 A. 601s were filed if there were any type of
 13 losses occur -- that may have occurred there at the
 14 facility, then it was on the -- the onus was on the
 15 facility to file the 601.
 16 BY MR. GOETZ:
 17 Q. And what about you said rec -- reconciling
 18 drugs to make sure reported, what does that mean?
 19 A. Just to ensure that, you know, the drugs
 20 that you received and the drugs that you send out and
 21 whatever your balance is, that they match, that you
 22 don't have any kind of losses there at the -- at the
 23 facility.
 24 Q. Essentially your understanding of the DEA

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1 obligations relate to theft and shrinkage, to make
 2 sure that the -- the inventory you received matches
 3 the inventory you think you -- the inventory you have
 4 matches what you think the inventory you received is?
 5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 6 BY THE WITNESS:
 7 A. Well, that was my role, to ensure the
 8 safety and to ensure the welfare and the security of
 9 product there at the -- at those facilities.
 10 BY MR. GOETZ:
 11 Q. Can you read -- go to -- back to your
 12 LinkedIn?
 13 A. Yep.
 14 Q. Do you see the second paragraph?
 15 A. Where?
 16 Q. The second sentence, it says --
 17 MR. CLARK: I'm sorry. Are we --
 18 BY THE WITNESS:
 19 A. There are a number of jobs there.
 20 BY MR. GOETZ:
 21 Q. The LinkedIn.
 22 MR. CLARK: I'm sorry. The Harvard?
 23 BY MR. GOETZ:
 24 Q. I'm -- I'm --

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1 MR. CLARK: Sorry.
 2 BY MR. GOETZ:
 3 Q. -- sorry. The CVS.
 4 A. Okay.
 5 Q. And -- and tell me if this is how you
 6 described your job:
 7 "Through auditing and report reviews,
 8 ensured regulatory compliance with OSHA, DEA, FDA,
 9 USDA and Hazardous Materials regulations."
 10 Correct?
 11 A. That's correct.
 12 Q. Okay. You -- the only obligation -- the
 13 only DEA obligation that you ensured compliance with
 14 was related to theft and inventory control?
 15 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 16 BY THE WITNESS:
 17 A. For my job there as a logistics loss
 18 prevention manager, that is what my main objective
 19 was, to ensure that the drugs were not sent out
 20 anywhere, that they were -- that they were kept there,
 21 we didn't have any losses or thefts.
 22 BY MR. GOETZ:
 23 Q. Theft and inventory control, that was what
 24 your understanding was ensuring DEA compliance at CVS?

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1 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
2 BY THE WITNESS:
3 A. That's what I recall, yeah. That's what I
4 recall at this point in time.
5 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
6 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition
7 Exhibit No. 2, for identification, as
8 of 01/23/2019.)
9 BY MR. GOETZ:
10 Q. I'm handing you what has been marked
11 CVS-Dugger 2.
12 Have you ever seen that document?
13 A. I don't recall seeing it.
14 Q. Have you -- I'd like to -- to point your
15 attention to (b), where it says "1301.74(b)"?
16 A. Um-hum.
17 Q. Could you read that, please?
18 A. "The registrant shall design and operate a
19 system to disclose to the registrant suspicious orders
20 of controlled substances. The registrant shall inform
21 the Field Division Office of the Administration in his
22 area of suspicious orders when discovered by the
23 registrant. Suspicious orders include orders of
24 unusual size, orders deviating substantially from a

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1 normal pattern, and orders of unusual frequency."
2 Q. When you were at CVS, were you aware of
3 that DEA requirement?
4 A. No, not from this particular form.
5 Q. I -- I'm not asking from this form. I'm
6 asking: Were you aware of that requirement for a
7 registrant to design and operate a system to disclose
8 to the registrant suspicious orders of controlled
9 substances?
10 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
11 BY THE WITNESS:
12 A. No. I mean --
13 BY MR. GOETZ:
14 Q. You were --
15 A. Well, what I'm saying is that I don't
16 recall having to design or operate any system at all
17 being that falling under my area of responsibility.
18 So I don't -- and I may have seen this before, but I
19 don't remember having that as a responsibility to
20 design and operate any system as it relates to the
21 registrant suspicious orders of controlled substances.
22 Q. A -- according to you, you had no role in
23 CVS's monitoring of suspicious orders of controlled
24 substances, other than preventing theft?

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1 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
2 BY THE WITNESS:
3 A. It was -- I don't recall it ever being
4 explained to me that I had a responsibility of
5 monitoring suspicious orders.
6 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
7 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition
8 Exhibit No. 3, for identification, as
9 of 01/23/2019.)
10 BY MR. GOETZ:
11 Q. I'm showing you what's been marked as
12 Exhibit 3.
13 Do you know who Ron Buzzeo is?
14 A. I know of him.
15 Q. And -- and what do you know of him?
16 A. That he was, I think, a former DEA agent
17 and that he may have done some consulting -- or had a
18 consulting business, and I know his name came up
19 during times when I was at CVS.
20 Q. Do you know who Amy Lynn Brown is?
21 A. I do not.
22 Q. Do you know Amy Propatier?
23 A. I've heard she is a CVS person, I believe.
24 Q. Amy Lynn Brown and Amy Propatier are the

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1 same person. She changed her name.
2 A. Okay.
3 Q. I'll represent that to you.
4 This e-mail from Ron Buzzeo attached three
5 letters. And I'd like to ask really briefly if you've
6 ever seen them.
7 The first letter is a letter dated
8 September 27th, 2006. It is from the DEA and its
9 Bates number begins 91509.
10 Have you ever seen that letter?
11 MR. CLARK: Just take a moment to look at it.
12 BY MR. GOETZ:
13 Q. And I'm not asking you -- let me -- let me
14 be clear. I'm not asking you if you saw it during
15 your prep. I'm asking you other than your prep, so I
16 don't want to...
17 A. I don't recall seeing this before.
18 Q. You were at CVS at this point, correct?
19 A. Yeah, I was employed there during that
20 date that's listed on this.
21 Q. You were in logistics and loss prevention
22 at this point, correct?
23 A. That is correct.
24 Q. Could you turn to the first sentence?

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 42</p> <p>1 It says:</p> <p>2 "This letter is being sent to every</p> <p>3 commercial entity in the United States registered with</p> <p>4 the Drug Enforcement Administration to distribute</p> <p>5 controlled substances."</p> <p>6 Is it your understanding that CVS Indiana</p> <p>7 would qualify under that sentence?</p> <p>8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>9 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>10 A. I would think so.</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. Okay. And then it says "Background."</p> <p>13 Could we go to the first sentence.</p> <p>14 It says:</p> <p>15 "As each of you is undoubtedly aware, the</p> <p>16 abuse (non-medical use) of controlled prescription</p> <p>17 drugs is a serious and growing health problem in this</p> <p>18 country."</p> <p>19 Let me ask you a question: Did anyone</p> <p>20 ever inform you of that while you were at CVS?</p> <p>21 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>22 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>23 A. That the abuse of -- that -- this sentence</p> <p>24 here?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 44</p> <p>1 Q. Is -- is -- is it your understanding as</p> <p>2 you sit here today that the issues of crack cocaine</p> <p>3 are more significant than the opioid crisis?</p> <p>4 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>5 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>6 A. Me personally, absolutely. I think issues</p> <p>7 in the inner city are never dealt with and I'm not</p> <p>8 being deposed about those particular things. I'm here</p> <p>9 because of some sentence here that says it's a serious</p> <p>10 and growing problem.</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. This sentence is from 2006, correct?</p> <p>13 A. That's what it says on the paper.</p> <p>14 Q. Do you -- do you know if anybody at CVS</p> <p>15 Indiana distribution center was ever informed about</p> <p>16 the opioid crisis?</p> <p>17 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>18 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>19 A. During my time there or just in general?</p> <p>20 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>21 Q. Yeah, during your time.</p> <p>22 A. I have no idea.</p> <p>23 Q. You were never -- you never saw a poster</p> <p>24 about it, did you?</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 43</p> <p>1 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>2 Q. That -- about the abuse of opioids, did --</p> <p>3 did anybody ever inform you of that?</p> <p>4 A. I don't recall ever being told about it,</p> <p>5 about it being a -- an issue at all.</p> <p>6 Q. Were you aware when you were there that it</p> <p>7 was an issue?</p> <p>8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>9 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>10 Q. Strike that.</p> <p>11 In -- while you were employed at CVS from</p> <p>12 2005 to 2011, were you aware that -- that opioid abuse</p> <p>13 was a serious and growing health problem in the</p> <p>14 country?</p> <p>15 A. I did not.</p> <p>16 Q. Okay. Do you think, had -- are you aware</p> <p>17 of it today?</p> <p>18 A. In terms of what, it being a problem?</p> <p>19 Q. Yeah.</p> <p>20 A. Well, I hear things on the news about</p> <p>21 there being issues with it, but there are issues with</p> <p>22 crack cocaine in inner cities that are much bigger</p> <p>23 than what people are saying here, so, I'm not here</p> <p>24 because of that.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 45</p> <p>1 A. I don't recall seeing a poster about it</p> <p>2 being a -- an issue at all.</p> <p>3 Q. Nothing in the break room, nothing in</p> <p>4 the -- the -- the kitchen?</p> <p>5 A. I -- I don't recall seeing anything. I</p> <p>6 mean, if -- if I did, I would say I saw it. I just</p> <p>7 don't recall seeing any kind of posters or any kind</p> <p>8 of --</p> <p>9 Q. The --</p> <p>10 A. -- memos about it.</p> <p>11 Q. There is lots of other posters in the</p> <p>12 break room at CVS Indiana distribution center, aren't</p> <p>13 there?</p> <p>14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>15 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>16 A. I don't know. I posted several things</p> <p>17 there from a loss prevention standpoint or safety.</p> <p>18 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>19 Q. Tons of posters about safety, right,</p> <p>20 about -- about making sure that --</p> <p>21 A. I didn't put up a ton. I mean, I'm just</p> <p>22 saying I --</p> <p>23 Q. Many --</p> <p>24 A. -- I put posters up there.</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 46</p> <p>1 Q. -- many --</p> <p>2 A. Okay.</p> <p>3 Q. -- is -- is that true about -- about</p> <p>4 safety and about theft in that break room?</p> <p>5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>6 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>7 A. I guess I put up maybe -- I put a</p> <p>8 newsletter up. There were a few things about injuries</p> <p>9 at the facility, but that's pretty much all that we</p> <p>10 put up there in -- in the -- the break room.</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. Can you go to the third paragraph, I -- I</p> <p>13 want to ask you about this. It says:</p> <p>14 "Distributors are, of course, one of the</p> <p>15 key components of the distribution chain. If the</p> <p>16 closed system is to function properly as Congress</p> <p>17 envisioned, distributors must be vigilant in deciding</p> <p>18 whether a prospective customer can be trusted" --</p> <p>19 "trusted to deliver controlled substances only for</p> <p>20 lawful purposes."</p> <p>21 Were you aware of that when you were at</p> <p>22 CVS?</p> <p>23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>24 BY THE WITNESS:</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 48</p> <p>1 ship the drugs it gets to the store and they got --</p> <p>2 they got what they ordered, correct?</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. Yes, that is correct.</p> <p>6 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>7 Q. Again, do you know what shrink is when we</p> <p>8 talk about shrink?</p> <p>9 A. Absolutely.</p> <p>10 Q. Okay. What -- what is it?</p> <p>11 A. Well, it is basically if you -- put it if</p> <p>12 you order ten -- ten items and you sell five, you are</p> <p>13 doing inventory and you only have three, something</p> <p>14 happened to your two, you've got a shrinkage of, you</p> <p>15 know, 20 percent.</p> <p>16 Q. And that -- and if you have shrinkage,</p> <p>17 that leads to lost profits, correct?</p> <p>18 A. It can, depending on what type of</p> <p>19 shrinkage there is.</p> <p>20 Q. And -- and -- and that's what you just</p> <p>21 described that CVS was -- was looking at, shrinkage</p> <p>22 within that distribution chain?</p> <p>23 A. Well, according to the --</p> <p>24 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 47</p> <p>1 A. That -- I've never seen that sentence</p> <p>2 before. I don't recall seeing it, but, you know, the</p> <p>3 latter part of my time there, the facility -- I know</p> <p>4 the company itself were looking into the way drugs are</p> <p>5 sent out from the DCs and how they go to, you know,</p> <p>6 the facilities.</p> <p>7 So from that perspective, yeah, we -- you</p> <p>8 transfer it to the stores, you want to make sure that</p> <p>9 they get what they are supposed to get and that they</p> <p>10 get exactly what they are supposed to have, ensuring</p> <p>11 that there is no, you know, altered [sic] drugs,</p> <p>12 there is no, you know, illegal contraband is -- if you</p> <p>13 will, on our trucks. So from that perspective, then,</p> <p>14 yeah, I mean.</p> <p>15 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>16 Q. Again, we are talking about shrinkage</p> <p>17 within the distribution chain, that -- that's what CVS</p> <p>18 was focusing on, correct?</p> <p>19 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>20 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>21 A. That's what I was focusing on.</p> <p>22 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>23 Q. And -- and that's what you just described,</p> <p>24 you said you want to make sure that -- that when we</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 49</p> <p>1 THE WITNESS: Sorry.</p> <p>2 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>3 A. According to this particular sentence here</p> <p>4 and that's what -- how I understood it.</p> <p>5 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>6 Q. I'm asking you what CVS was doing to your</p> <p>7 knowledge within the distribution chain and to your</p> <p>8 knowledge and you said they started looking later,</p> <p>9 they were looking at issues related to shrinkage?</p> <p>10 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>11 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>12 A. My role there as it was explained to me</p> <p>13 would be to look at shortages as it relates to how</p> <p>14 stores would claim that they didn't receive items that</p> <p>15 they were supposed to receive. So it was my</p> <p>16 responsibility if it came out of the Indianapolis DC</p> <p>17 to really look to determine whether or not they</p> <p>18 actually received what they were supposed to receive.</p> <p>19 We would work in concert with the regional loss</p> <p>20 prevention people who were the counterparts here at</p> <p>21 the store as well as the pharmacies there and some of</p> <p>22 the clerks or the technicians, if you will, to ensure</p> <p>23 that they received what they were supposed to receive.</p> <p>24 Q. Again, shorthand, shrinkage, can we not</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 50</p> <p>1 agree to that?</p> <p>2 A. Well, it is not shrinkage because --</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object --</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. -- a lot of --</p> <p>6 MR. CLARK: Sorry.</p> <p>7 Object to the form.</p> <p>8 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>9 A. For me it's -- you are investigating the</p> <p>10 possible loss because people are saying that they are</p> <p>11 missing it. There at the facility we would look to</p> <p>12 determine whether or not those particular items went</p> <p>13 out, and video wise and everything else, so we could</p> <p>14 determine if you ordered, you know, ten items and you</p> <p>15 received -- and it shows ten going inside the totes,</p> <p>16 the totes being sealed and they went out on the truck,</p> <p>17 we see them going inside the truck, then you</p> <p>18 received -- you should have received what you ordered.</p> <p>19 That's how we look at it.</p> <p>20 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>21 Q. And if they didn't, what do you call that?</p> <p>22 A. They need to call it, I don't call it</p> <p>23 anything. I call it they sent it out there.</p> <p>24 Q. Maybe a better term is inventory control,</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 52</p> <p>1 number of orders that need to be shipped out from the</p> <p>2 facility, the Rx department shipped those out. And if</p> <p>3 there were claims made by the store that they didn't</p> <p>4 receive anything, then my team would look into whether</p> <p>5 or not those particular items were, in fact, put</p> <p>6 inside the tote.</p> <p>7 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>8 Q. Nobody told you that one part of your job</p> <p>9 was to determine or investigate whether orders</p> <p>10 deviated substantially from a normal pattern, did</p> <p>11 they?</p> <p>12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>13 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>14 A. I don't recall that ever happening. I</p> <p>15 know there were, you know, reports. Like I said, the</p> <p>16 latter part of me being there is the period of time</p> <p>17 that there were reports as it relates to the size of</p> <p>18 product that was being sent to the stores, but,</p> <p>19 frankly, they kind of just piled up in my office</p> <p>20 because I was never given any direction as to what to</p> <p>21 do with them.</p> <p>22 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>23 Q. Okay.</p> <p>24 And -- and nobody ever told you that one</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 51</p> <p>1 is that kind of what you described?</p> <p>2 A. For us --</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object to the -- sorry. Object to</p> <p>4 the form.</p> <p>5 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>6 A. For there at the facility, it is a form of</p> <p>7 inventory control to ensure that, again, those</p> <p>8 particular items, specifically the controlled</p> <p>9 substances, are monitored and sent out in the -- in</p> <p>10 the proper manner.</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. Nobody ever explained to you at CVS that</p> <p>13 one of your jobs was to monitor orders for unusual</p> <p>14 size, did they?</p> <p>15 A. I don't recall ever -- anyone ever telling</p> <p>16 me that was my job to do that at CVS.</p> <p>17 Q. And -- and you never monitored orders for</p> <p>18 unusual size, did you?</p> <p>19 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>20 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>21 A. I -- I don't recall ever having to monitor</p> <p>22 anything for any orders that went out in terms of the</p> <p>23 amount that was ordered.</p> <p>24 Again, it was based on if there were a</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 53</p> <p>1 of your jobs was to monitor or try to detect orders of</p> <p>2 unusual frequency?</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. I don't recall ever being told that. It</p> <p>6 just -- it wasn't -- it wasn't my job. I didn't do</p> <p>7 that.</p> <p>8 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>9 Q. Again, the orders that we're talking about</p> <p>10 are those orders of controlled substances?</p> <p>11 A. That's understood, yeah.</p> <p>12 Q. Okay. And are -- we kind of started into</p> <p>13 this.</p> <p>14 Are you aware that -- of the opioids that</p> <p>15 CVS distributed?</p> <p>16 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>17 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>18 A. Well, what do you mean, am I aware? I</p> <p>19 mean, I know they had scheduled drugs there at CVS.</p> <p>20 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>21 Q. Okay. Are you aware that they distributed</p> <p>22 hydrocodone combination products?</p> <p>23 A. Yes.</p> <p>24 Q. Are you aware that those are</p>

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1 Schedule III -- or were Schedule III until 2014?

2 A. That's correct.

3 Q. Okay. Are you aware of CVS distributing

4 any other opioids?

5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

6 BY THE WITNESS:

7 A. Well, I don't think -- I don't know what

8 all opioids are. I mean, I know they had hydrocodone

9 products. I don't recall them ever having any

10 Schedule II drugs, so I would assume that the only

11 thing from an opioid standpoint, just my understanding

12 of it, would be the hydrocodone.

13 MR. GOETZ: Five minutes?

14 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at

15 10:02 a.m.

16 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had

17 from 10:02 to 10:15 a.m.)

18 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record at

19 10:15 a.m.

20 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

21 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition

22 Exhibit No. 4, for identification, as

23 of 01/23/2019.)

24 BY MR. GOETZ:

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1 Q. Mr. Dugger, I'm handing you what's been

2 marked as Exhibit 4.

3 MR. CLARK: Oh, yeah, this is multiple copies.

4 THE WITNESS: Oh.

5 BY MR. GOETZ:

6 Q. Do you recognize that document?

7 A. Yes, it appears to be a -- an IRR report.

8 Q. And when you said earlier that you were

9 receiving documents that were piling up, this is

10 the -- the report that you were speaking about,

11 correct?

12 A. Yes, this is the IRR report I was

13 referring to. I think there were -- there was some --

14 there was some before and there was some after a

15 certain date, so I don't --

16 Q. I don't know what you mean by some before

17 and some after.

18 A. Like so, looking at this one here, it just

19 has a -- a January 2011 date and...

20 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

21 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition

22 Exhibit No. 15, for identification,

23 as of 01/23/2019.)

24 BY MR. GOETZ:

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1 Q. Okay. So let me show you what I've marked

2 as Exhibit 15.

3 THE WITNESS: Multiple copies again.

4 BY MR. GOETZ:

5 Q. And -- and let me represent to you what

6 that is. That is just the front of various IRRs from

7 various dates, and if -- if we go to the first page of

8 that exhibit, it says "Terrence Dugger," correct?

9 A. It does.

10 Q. And so you are the recipient of this IRR,

11 correct?

12 A. Not all of the time. I mean, it's -- my

13 name is on here, but there are many times I didn't get

14 the forms. There were things that were -- that may

15 have been sent to you but you may not have had the

16 responsibility of going through them.

17 Q. I -- I get it.

18 According to this document, you are the

19 recipient, correct?

20 A. Yes, it was sent to me, yeah.

21 Q. And this -- this one is dated 9/28/2010?

22 Look at the first page, sir.

23 Do you see where it says right down on

24 the --

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1 A. Yep.

2 Q. Okay. And then if you go to the next

3 page, I just pulled some out so we could show the

4 different dates you were getting it.

5 "Terrence Dugger," 10/19/2010?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. Again, you are the recipient, and -- and

8 this was sent to you on October 19th, 2010, according

9 to this?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. And then if you look at the third page,

12 again, "Recipient: Terrence Dugger"?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. And 11/30/2010?

15 A. That is correct.

16 Q. And then the next page, it says,

17 "Recipient: Terrence Dugger"?

18 A. The fourth page -- fourth page, yes.

19 Q. And the -- the date is 12/14/10, correct?

20 A. Correct.

21 Q. And then the next page, again, you're

22 still the recipient?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. And it is January 23rd of 2011?

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 58</p> <p>1 A. Yes.</p> <p>2 Q. And then the next page you are the</p> <p>3 recipient and it's February 20th of 2011, correct?</p> <p>4 A. That is correct.</p> <p>5 Q. And we keep going, 3/20/11 is the next</p> <p>6 page?</p> <p>7 A. Yes.</p> <p>8 Q. And then 5/8/11?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. And then 6/28/11?</p> <p>11 A. Correct.</p> <p>12 Q. Okay.</p> <p>13 So when you -- if we go back to Exhibit 4,</p> <p>14 you had said there were multiple dates. I wanted to</p> <p>15 show you, I believe this IRR was a report that was</p> <p>16 printed five days a week.</p> <p>17 Are you aware of that?</p> <p>18 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>19 And just before -- I apologize, Dan,</p> <p>20 before we move back to Exhibit 4, I just want to -- I</p> <p>21 object to Exhibit 15 to the extent I think as</p> <p>22 represented it purports to be just cover pages of</p> <p>23 multiple --</p> <p>24 MR. GOETZ: That's all it is.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 60</p> <p>1 sure.</p> <p>2 Q. Okay. I -- I will tell you there has been</p> <p>3 testimony in this case that this report was printed</p> <p>4 five days a week. This is a daily report, I believe,</p> <p>5 except for Saturdays and Sundays.</p> <p>6 A. Okay.</p> <p>7 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>8 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>9 Q. Do you disagree with that? Do you have</p> <p>10 any reason to disagree with that?</p> <p>11 A. I have no reason to disagree with that.</p> <p>12 Q. Did you ever review this IRR?</p> <p>13 A. This one in particular?</p> <p>14 MR. CLARK: Objection to form.</p> <p>15 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>16 Q. Did you ever review an item review report?</p> <p>17 A. I've looked at them.</p> <p>18 Q. Okay. And why -- why would you look at</p> <p>19 them?</p> <p>20 A. Because it had my name on it.</p> <p>21 Q. All right. And so you would review it for</p> <p>22 what?</p> <p>23 A. Because it had --</p> <p>24 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. Sorry.</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 59</p> <p>1 MR. CLARK: -- individual documents.</p> <p>2 So there's -- you know, so it is not --</p> <p>3 they're not complete documents that we are looking at.</p> <p>4 We are just looking at cover pages, correct?</p> <p>5 MR. GOETZ: We were just looking -- absolutely,</p> <p>6 that's correct.</p> <p>7 MR. CLARK: And I also just wanted the record to</p> <p>8 be clear.</p> <p>9 MR. GOETZ: We are looking at cover pages where</p> <p>10 Mr. Dugger was the recipient of -- of those IRRs, and</p> <p>11 I just want to get a -- to show a smattering of dates</p> <p>12 so that we had the beginning and an end when he was</p> <p>13 receiving them.</p> <p>14 MR. CLARK: Understood.</p> <p>15 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>16 Q. Mr. Dugger, can you go back to Exhibit 4?</p> <p>17 A. Yes.</p> <p>18 Q. Are you aware of how often this was</p> <p>19 printed?</p> <p>20 A. You said five days a week. It -- I don't</p> <p>21 recall what it was. It may have been weekly, it may</p> <p>22 have been daily. The one I'm looking at here says</p> <p>23 1/30 of 2011. I don't know if this represented a</p> <p>24 day's orders or if it represented a week. I'm not</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 61</p> <p>1 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>2 A. Because it had -- had my name on it, so.</p> <p>3 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>4 Q. And what were you trying to determine when</p> <p>5 you would review it?</p> <p>6 A. Well, I would review the first page, and</p> <p>7 it was probably put into Gary Lamberth's box to go</p> <p>8 over it.</p> <p>9 Q. But you don't know what you did with it?</p> <p>10 Is that speculation?</p> <p>11 A. Well, I don't -- there -- I -- I was</p> <p>12 saying earlier there were a number that piled up in my</p> <p>13 office for a period of time and they sat there and --</p> <p>14 and nothing was done, to my knowledge, with them. I</p> <p>15 didn't do anything with them. And then these started</p> <p>16 appearing at a certain date, and I can't recall the</p> <p>17 date, and they were put into the Rx department's box</p> <p>18 because someone in that department went through it.</p> <p>19 Q. Do you know who?</p> <p>20 A. I don't know, but looking at this one here</p> <p>21 for your Exhibit 15, Gary Lamberth has signed a number</p> <p>22 of those, but I didn't give it to anyone in</p> <p>23 particular. It was a slot, I believe, a mail slot</p> <p>24 that we all had things in. It may have been put into</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 62</p> <p>1 his box.</p> <p>2 Q. When do you think you first started</p> <p>3 receiving them?</p> <p>4 A. When did I or he?</p> <p>5 Q. You.</p> <p>6 A. I can't recall.</p> <p>7 Q. And when were they piling up in your</p> <p>8 office?</p> <p>9 A. Probably -- I just can't recall. I don't</p> <p>10 want to speculate and give a date that's incorrect. I</p> <p>11 just don't -- I just remember them piling up. I</p> <p>12 don't -- I don't know.</p> <p>13 Q. Do you remember that there was a DEA</p> <p>14 audit?</p> <p>15 A. We've had several DEA audits there.</p> <p>16 Q. Do you remember there was a DEA audit in</p> <p>17 August of 2010?</p> <p>18 A. If that was the last one, yes, yes.</p> <p>19 Q. Okay. And during a DEA audit, what was</p> <p>20 your role while you were at CVS as it related to that</p> <p>21 audit?</p> <p>22 A. As a loss prevention manager there,</p> <p>23 logistics for the facility, and to answer -- to be a</p> <p>24 representative of that facility as relates to loss</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 64</p> <p>1 of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>2 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>3 Q. I'm going to show you what's been marked</p> <p>4 as Exhibit 5.</p> <p>5 Do you see that second e-mail?</p> <p>6 A. There -- yeah, there is -- yeah. So it is</p> <p>7 the top from Pamela Hink -- Hinkle and there is a</p> <p>8 second one from Frank Devlin.</p> <p>9 Q. Okay. There -- there is actually a third</p> <p>10 one, correct, from you to Frank Devlin?</p> <p>11 A. There is a third one, correct.</p> <p>12 Q. Okay. And that is -- what's the subject</p> <p>13 of that?</p> <p>14 A. It says "DEA Day 3."</p> <p>15 Q. And if you look at that e-mail, that is a</p> <p>16 recap of the Day 3 of the DEA audit?</p> <p>17 A. Correct.</p> <p>18 Q. Do you see the last bullet on that first</p> <p>19 page?</p> <p>20 A. Yes.</p> <p>21 Q. And it -- it says:</p> <p>22 "I shared with her the suspicious order</p> <p>23 monitoring report (IRR) and she asked how often I</p> <p>24 received it."</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 63</p> <p>1 prevention.</p> <p>2 Q. If somebody were to go over forms or</p> <p>3 documents, you would try to find the most qualified</p> <p>4 person to do that with the DEA auditor?</p> <p>5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>6 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>7 A. Would I try to find the most qualified</p> <p>8 person?</p> <p>9 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>10 Q. Yeah.</p> <p>11 A. Absolutely.</p> <p>12 Q. Right.</p> <p>13 You -- you wouldn't have somebody that</p> <p>14 wasn't -- if there is somebody that is more familiar</p> <p>15 with a document, whatever those documents are, you</p> <p>16 would have that person review it with the auditor,</p> <p>17 correct?</p> <p>18 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>19 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>20 A. I would try to do that. That would be my</p> <p>21 goal.</p> <p>22 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was</p> <p>23 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p> <p>24 Exhibit No. 5, for identification, as</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 65</p> <p>1 Do you see that?</p> <p>2 A. I do.</p> <p>3 Q. Okay. And then the second bullet, if you</p> <p>4 go down, we'll look at that, it said:</p> <p>5 "I explained to her what the Lag 1, Lag 2,</p> <p>6 et cetera indicated."</p> <p>7 A. Are you referring to the next page? I'm</p> <p>8 sorry.</p> <p>9 Q. Yes.</p> <p>10 A. Okay.</p> <p>11 Q. Do you see that: "I explained to her what</p> <p>12 the Lag 1, Lag 2" --</p> <p>13 A. I do.</p> <p>14 Q. -- "indicated"?</p> <p>15 That Lag 1, Lag 2, that is what is shown</p> <p>16 on Exhibit 4, correct, that is the IRR?</p> <p>17 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>18 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>19 A. On what page? Oh, just the same page?</p> <p>20 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>21 Q. Well, we can go to any page you want, but,</p> <p>22 here, let's go to Page 100929.</p> <p>23 A. Okay. All right.</p> <p>24 Q. Do you see that?</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 66</p> <p>1 And if you look at, let's say, 2 Store 00788. 3 A. Okay. 4 Q. There is a month-to-date, correct? 5 A. There is. 6 Q. There is a Lag 1, Lag 2 all of the way up 7 to Lag 6? 8 A. Yes. 9 Q. And so you explained to her what that 10 meant, correct? 11 A. Yeah, I did. I mean, I wrote it here, so 12 I explained something to her. 13 Q. So, a reasonable assumption is in -- in 14 August of 2010 you were the person with the most 15 knowledge about what that item review report 16 indicated, correct? 17 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 18 BY THE WITNESS: 19 A. I don't know if I would have been the most 20 knowledgeable person at that facility or within CVS, 21 but apparently the memo that I sent to Frank Devlin, I 22 explained something to Madeline -- 23 BY MR. GOETZ: 24 Q. Okay.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 68</p> <p>1 A. I don't -- 2 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 3 BY THE WITNESS: 4 A. -- I don't -- I don't recall anyone 5 telling me that. 6 BY MR. GOETZ: 7 Q. You -- you never ever told Gary Lamberth 8 how to review these, did you? 9 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 10 BY THE WITNESS: 11 A. I don't recall ever telling Gary Lamberth 12 how to review them. I don't recall ever telling him 13 that. 14 BY MR. GOETZ: 15 Q. I -- 16 A. That doesn't mean I didn't, but I just 17 don't recall. I've had many conversations with Gary 18 about a number of things, and I don't remember having 19 conversations about this. 20 Q. You -- you as you sit here today have no 21 idea if you ever had an understanding of the item 22 review report, correct? 23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 24 BY THE WITNESS:</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 67</p> <p>1 A. -- about regarding Lag 1 and Lag 2. 2 Q. What are those lags? 3 A. I have no idea. 4 Q. Did you know then? 5 A. I must have known for me to talk to her 6 and -- and write it as a memo. I got -- I just don't 7 recall. I really don't recall what the Lag 1 and 8 Lag 2's are. But here it says they are previous 9 month's ordering quantities. So I guess that's what 10 they are. 11 Q. If -- if -- if you look at this store, it 12 says score of .67. 13 Do you see that, above the -- the Lag 6? 14 A. You are still looking at Store 788? 15 Q. Yes. 16 A. Okay. 17 Q. Do you see that, .67? 18 A. Under Lag -- 19 Q. Above Lag 6. 20 A. Okay. Above Lag -- okay. Scores, yeah, 21 0.67. 22 Q. Do you know what that means? 23 A. I do not. 24 Q. Did anybody ever tell you what that meant?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 69</p> <p>1 A. I had to have had some understanding of it 2 to explain to Madeline Kuzma about the Lag 1 and Lag 2 3 and what it -- what it meant. But other than that, I 4 don't -- this is not anything that I did when I was 5 there. I didn't -- you know, I didn't go through 6 these particular reports. Like I said, they kind of 7 piled up and... 8 So I may have had an understanding to 9 explain to Madeline Kuzma, but I just don't recall 10 having a conversation with Gary Lamberth. He didn't 11 work for me. He actually worked for either Gary 12 Mil -- Gary Milikan or Andy Koropoulos. 13 (WHEREUPON, certain document were 14 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition 15 Exhibit No. 7 and No. 8, for 16 identification, as of 01/23/2019.) 17 BY MR. GOETZ: 18 Q. I'm going to show you Exhibit 7 and 19 Exhibit 8 together. 20 Do you see Exhibit 7? 21 A. I do. 22 Q. Okay. That -- the bottom e-mail is an 23 e-mail from John Mortelliti to you? 24 A. Yes.</p>

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1 Q. Dated September 1st, 2010?

2 A. 10:46 a.m., yes.

3 MR. CLARK: You know, I hate to do this, 7 -- I

4 think you have 7 and 8 reversed. Just make sure the

5 record is clear.

6 BY MR. GOETZ:

7 Q. That is 8 we are looking at right now.

8 The e-mail is 8.

9 A. Yes, I see that, yeah.

10 Q. I apologize if I misspoke.

11 MR. CLARK: No, I'm just -- I didn't --

12 MR. GOETZ: I appreciate it.

13 BY MR. GOETZ:

14 Q. Looking at Exhibit 8, that is John

15 Mortelliti, correct?

16 Who is John Mortelliti?

17 A. He is a regional loss prevention manager

18 of logistics.

19 Q. Was he your boss?

20 A. At this point he was, at this point in

21 time he was. Well, he was my supervisor. I don't

22 have a boss.

23 Q. And -- and what does he say? What does --

24 A. "Terrence, this is for the DEA. The

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1 corrections listed below have been updated. It is

2 okay to review this with the agents."

3 Q. And the subject of this is what?

4 A. "DEA Speaking Points."

5 Q. Could you go to Exhibit 7?

6 A. Yep.

7 Q. Who is Sean Humphries, by the way?

8 A. Sean Humphries was John Mortelliti's

9 counterpart and he was my previous supervisor.

10 Q. And -- and he was your supervisor where,

11 meaning where -- where did Sean Humphries sit?

12 A. Where he was out of?

13 Q. Yes.

14 A. He was out of Woonsocket, Rhode Island at

15 the Woonsocket distribution center.

16 Q. And -- and so where was Mr. Mortelliti?

17 A. I think John Mortelliti was out of the

18 Lumberton, New Jersey facility, if I recall.

19 Q. And can you explain to me why when you

20 testified earlier you had no role in the suspicious

21 order monitoring of controlled substances other than

22 theft, why you would be sent this DEA speaking points?

23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

24 BY THE WITNESS:

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1 A. Well, he said it was -- it was -- they

2 were speaking points, so it was something I needed to

3 review with the agents if they had a question about

4 it.

5 BY MR. GOETZ:

6 Q. You were the person with the most

7 knowledge, correct?

8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

9 BY THE WITNESS:

10 A. The most knowledge for that site or --

11 BY MR. GOETZ:

12 Q. Suspicious order monitoring at that point

13 at the CVS Indiana distribution center?

14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

15 BY THE WITNESS:

16 A. That would probably have been Gary Milikan

17 and then Lamberth, because Gary Milikan had a

18 pharmacist degree and I think he had a license to --

19 to -- to act as a pharmacist there and then it would

20 have been Gary Lamberth and then probably me.

21 Q. Well, do you know why this was not sent to

22 Gary Lamberth?

23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

24 BY THE WITNESS:

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1 A. I don't know if it wasn't sent to him. I

2 know it was -- this particular one was sent to me.

3 BY MR. GOETZ:

4 Q. Did you forward this to Gary Lamberth?

5 A. I don't recall sending it to Gary

6 Lamberth.

7 Q. And -- and I can tell you we deposed

8 Mr. Milikan.

9 A. Uh-huh.

10 Q. You -- you think Mr. Milikan would have

11 had the most knowledge about suspicious order

12 monitoring in August of 2010 --

13 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.

14 BY MR. GOETZ:

15 Q. -- for the CVS Indiana distribution

16 center?

17 A. Because he is a pharmacist by trade, I

18 think he would probably have knowledge about it.

19 Q. What -- what would being a pharmacist do?

20 A. He has to fill scripts and he has to -- he

21 falls under the regulations of the DEA. I mean, that

22 would be -- he -- he's went to school for it. He has

23 gone to school for it. So I would expect him to have

24 more knowledge about it than me at that point in time.

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1 Q. What -- what about a -- since we are
2 talking about knowledge, what about a -- do you know
3 what a picker is, a picker and a packer?
4 A. Yes.
5 Q. Okay. And what about a picker and a
6 packer in the control cage, would you expect them to
7 have any knowledge about suspicious order monitoring?
8 A. I wouldn't expect them to have any at all.
9 Their job is to pick and pack.
10 Q. Could you go to 64116?
11 A. Of what exhibit, I don't...
12 Q. Of that --
13 A. Oh, 7?
14 Q. -- Exhibit 7.
15 A. I'm sorry. 6411?
16 Q. Yes.
17 A. 116, all right.
18 Q. Did -- did you ever share these with the
19 DEA?
20 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
21 BY THE WITNESS:
22 A. I don't recall. It wasn't during the
23 audit. I may -- I think I shared an IRR report, but I
24 don't recall sharing this document here with anyone.

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1 BY MR. GOETZ:
2 Q. These were speaking points for, at a
3 minimum, for you to talk to the DEA about, right, to
4 give you an idea and then talk to the DEA about what
5 is shown in these?
6 A. That's what Mortelliti stated.
7 Q. And that's what you would understand that
8 e-mail to be?
9 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
10 BY THE WITNESS:
11 A. Yep, yes.
12 BY MR. GOETZ:
13 Q. And if you look at 64116, it says: "CVS
14 Suspicious Order Monitoring." And I want -- I want to
15 read this to you.
16 A. Okay.
17 Q. "CVS has implemented several policies and
18 procedures to identify and investigate potential
19 suspicious orders."
20 Did I read that correctly?
21 A. Correct.
22 Q. The next bullet, which is under, which to
23 me would indicate that's one of the policies and
24 procedures, it says:

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1 "Stores are limited in how much
2 PSE/EPH/Control Drugs may be ordered."
3 MR. CLARK: Object --
4 BY MR. GOETZ:
5 Q. Did I read that correctly?
6 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
7 BY THE WITNESS:
8 A. That's right, you read it correctly.
9 BY MR. GOETZ:
10 Q. In 2010 when this was sent to you, did you
11 have an understanding that stores were limited in how
12 much hydrocodone combination products they could
13 order?
14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
15 BY THE WITNESS:
16 A. I mean, I can't recall. I -- I may have.
17 I just can't recall ever having a conversation
18 specifically about suspicious order monitoring and it
19 being my responsibility. I just don't recall having
20 that conversation.
21 I mean, I had a lot of conversations about
22 that audit, you know, as it relates to the balancing
23 of, you know, the books and things of that sort, but I
24 just don't recall having one. It doesn't mean I

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1 didn't have it. I just don't recall having one with
2 anyone about suspicious order monitoring as it relates
3 to stores and with it being my responsibility.
4 BY MR. GOETZ:
5 Q. I will tell you that there was no max
6 cutoff line entered until October 11th, 2012, and
7 there was no hard threshold that was entered until the
8 new system came about on March 14th.
9 Would it bother you if -- if I told you
10 that wasn't a true statement?
11 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
12 BY THE WITNESS:
13 A. If -- would it bother me if what you just
14 said, the second bullet point?
15 BY MR. GOETZ:
16 Q. If I told you that limit, the limit on how
17 much control drugs a store could order, that's
18 actually not a -- a true statement?
19 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
20 BY THE WITNESS:
21 A. You are asking me would it bother me?
22 BY MR. GOETZ:
23 Q. Yes.
24 A. It wouldn't bother me at all.

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1 Q. It doesn't? If -- if they gave you
2 something to say, Hey, tell the DEA we are limiting
3 how much control drugs stores can order, that wouldn't
4 bother you if it wasn't true?
5 A. Well, anything that's not true, that's
6 untrue would -- would raise a flag, but if you are
7 asking me personally does it bother me, it doesn't
8 bother me at all.
9 Q. Okay. The next bullet says:
10 "An inventory review report has been
11 developed to identify potential excessive orders."
12 That's the IRR we spoke about earlier,
13 correct, Exhibit 4?
14 A. I would make that inference, yeah.
15 Q. Yeah. And that actually was the primary
16 process for identifying suspicious orders, correct?
17 MR. CLARK: Object. Object to the form.
18 BY THE WITNESS:
19 A. It was? I -- I don't know, I mean...
20 BY MR. GOETZ:
21 Q. You have no knowledge of that?
22 A. Well, it had to come from someone, someone
23 had to generate the report, so when you say it was the
24 only way, I don't -- that's why I don't want to say

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1 yes and if there are other ways, because someone
2 generated it, the report, and had it sent to the
3 facility there.
4 Q. I said it was the primary process.
5 A. But I don't know if it's the primary
6 process or not because it is generated by someone and
7 they sent it there to the facility.
8 Q. And then it says down below:
9 'DC Rx and loss prevention have been
10 tasked with review and investigation of potential
11 suspicious orders from the DC to the stores."
12 Did I read that correctly?
13 A. It was read correctly.
14 Q. And -- and you were in loss prevention,
15 correct?
16 A. I was a part of loss prevention.
17 Q. And so -- and -- and you actually had
18 three reports to you, correct?
19 A. I had three direct reports and then some
20 odd number of indirect reports.
21 Q. You were the highest up in loss prevention
22 at CVS Indiana distribution center?
23 A. At that facility I was the top ranking
24 person.

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1 Q. So, what did you do to review and
2 investigate potential suspicious orders from the
3 Indiana distribution center to stores?
4 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
5 BY THE WITNESS:
6 A. I don't recall.
7 MR. GOETZ: I don't understand the -- the basis
8 of that. I -- I -- Miles, we -- I -- I -- you've
9 objected every time. I -- I don't understand the
10 basis of that objection. There has been so many, but
11 now I'm finally asking.
12 MR. CLARK: The basis of the objection to that
13 particular question?
14 MR. GOETZ: Do you want me to ask him if he did
15 do anything? Do you want me to ask him first if he
16 did do anything, is that -- you are -- you are
17 suggesting that he didn't do anything so it's
18 inappropriate to ask what he did?
19 MR. CLARK: I am not suggesting anything. I'm
20 just...
21 MR. GOETZ: But I -- I'm -- I'm curious as to
22 why, why -- why that's a proper objection?
23 MR. CLARK: Well, there -- you haven't
24 established the foundation that he did anything.

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1 MR. GOETZ: That's what I'm saying. So you're
2 objecting because we don't know that he did anything.
3 BY MR. GOETZ:
4 Q. As the No. 1 person in loss prevention at
5 the CVS Indiana distribution center, did you ever do
6 anything to investigate potential suspicious orders
7 from that distribution center to stores?
8 A. I don't recall doing anything. I mean, it
9 was a -- it was an Rx -- it was an Rx responsibility.
10 That's why you see the forms with Gary Lamberth
11 signing them. I don't recall doing anything.
12 Like I mentioned earlier, sir, they kind
13 of piled up for a bit, and then there was a time when
14 they were given to the Rx department, they were put in
15 their slot.
16 And the only thing that I recall doing,
17 anything with these particular loss prevention-wise
18 was to investigate the shortages that stores were
19 claiming that they didn't receive their product, or if
20 we got something from McKesson or Cardinal Health that
21 there may have been shortages there, we would, you
22 know, reach out to their people and hopefully they
23 will do an investigation there. Again, we don't want
24 to file the 601s if we didn't have to.

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1 Q. Did you ever inform anybody at CVS that
 2 this slide, this talking point that was for the DEA
 3 that you were not investigating stores but are
 4 investigating potential suspicious orders from that
 5 DC?
 6 A. I got confused on --
 7 MR. CLARK: Object to form.
 8 BY THE WITNESS:
 9 A. I got confused on the question. Can you
 10 repeat it again?
 11 BY MR. GOETZ:
 12 Q. I asked you if you ever investigated any
 13 potential suspicious orders from the Indiana --
 14 Indiana distribution center to the stores, correct?
 15 And you said no?
 16 A. Right, if I -- yeah, I don't recall ever
 17 having to investigate a suspicious order. There were
 18 shortages that we investigated, overages that
 19 sometimes were investigated, but never a suspicious
 20 order. It just wasn't something that I did there or
 21 anyone -- really, anyone in my department at that
 22 point in time. It was an Rx function that I recall.
 23 Q. This document says:
 24 "Loss prevention," that's you, you were

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1 the top guy there, "have been tasked with review and
 2 investigation of potential suspicious orders from the
 3 DC to the stores."
 4 Did you ever tell anybody at CVS loss
 5 prevention is not doing that?
 6 A. I don't recall ever telling anyone that.
 7 Q. Did you ever tell anybody, Hey, these
 8 speaking points you want me to talk to the -- to the
 9 DEA about, that's not true because we're not doing it
 10 in Indianapolis?
 11 A. I don't ever --
 12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 13 BY THE WITNESS:
 14 A. I don't ever recall saying that.
 15 Mr. Mortelliti sent it. If I shared it with agents, I
 16 did. I just don't recall sharing that. I don't -- I
 17 don't -- you know, I don't recall them coming back out
 18 there after a certain time for anything relate --
 19 related to an audit.
 20 There may have been subsequent visits as
 21 it relates to some changes to the DEA cage, because we
 22 were kind of moving it around, I remember, to expand
 23 it for pseudoephedrine.
 24 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was

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1 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition
 2 Exhibit No. 9, for identification, as
 3 of 01/23/2019.)
 4 BY MR. GOETZ:
 5 Q. I'm showing you what's been marked as
 6 Dugger Exhibit 9.
 7 Who -- who -- before we do this, who --
 8 Gary Lamberth was the DC Rx, is that correct, at -- at
 9 this time?
 10 A. He was --
 11 MR. CLARK: I'm sorry.
 12 Object to the form.
 13 BY THE WITNESS:
 14 A. Gary --
 15 BY MR. GOETZ:
 16 Q. Who was the DC Rx in 2010 for the Indiana
 17 distribution center?
 18 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 19 BY THE WITNESS:
 20 A. DC Rx what?
 21 BY MR. GOETZ:
 22 Q. Well, we just looked at a spreadsheet,
 23 correct? Or we looked at a PowerPoint that talks
 24 about DC Rx?

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1 A. Yes.
 2 Q. Who was in that department in 2010?
 3 A. I can't recall everyone that was --
 4 MR. CLARK: Object to form.
 5 BY THE WITNESS:
 6 A. I can't recall everyone that was in the
 7 DC Rx department. They had a number of picker and
 8 packers, there was a supervisor there, there was a
 9 manager there, they had office personnel.
 10 BY MR. GOETZ:
 11 Q. When we talked about that slide shown in
 12 Exhibit 7, you had said Gary Lamberth might have been
 13 investigating suspicious orders.
 14 Do you remember that testimony?
 15 A. I did because he was the manager back
 16 there, so it more than likely would have fell under
 17 his responsibility, but you were asking about who was
 18 DC Rx, there were just a number of people.
 19 Q. So it would be your understanding when
 20 these DEA speaking points came to you that Gary
 21 Lamberth or somebody in his department would have been
 22 investigating the suspicious orders, correct?
 23 A. At this point in time, I have no idea who
 24 would have been doing it. Like I said, it was a -- a

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 86</p> <p>1 point in time when the IRR forms were placed in the 2 D -- the -- the Rx mail slot and he would look into 3 them. 4 But this particular -- I can't recall 5 exactly when based on this particular date of 6 October 12th of 2000. I just know I -- I wasn't doing 7 anything with them. Was Gary doing something at 8 that -- with them at that point in time, possibly. I 9 just don't remember. 10 Q. Can we go to Exhibit 9? 11 That's an e-mail from John Mortelliti? 12 A. Yes. 13 Q. To a -- and it is dated October 12th, 14 2010, correct? 15 A. It is. 16 Q. Are any of those people shown on that 17 e-mail, the "to", are any -- were any of them at the 18 Indiana distribution center? 19 A. There is myself, Terrence Dugger. It 20 looks as though it is just me on this particular 21 e-mail. 22 Q. And this e-mail, the importance is high, 23 correct? 24 A. It says "High."</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 88</p> <p>1 It is the DC's responsibility to monitor the 2 suspicious order process until the flagged item is 3 declared not suspicious or there is an investigation. 4 Either way, you should have the results attached to 5 your files as per policy." 6 Should I continue? 7 Q. No, sir. 8 A. Okay. 9 Q. When he talks about attaching the results, 10 he is talking about attaching the results of the 11 investigation, correct? 12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 13 BY THE WITNESS: 14 A. (Reading to self.) 15 I'm -- yeah, whatever investigation he may 16 have done, those are -- "Either way, you should have 17 the results attached," so the results of the 18 investigation that he would have done. 19 BY MR. GOETZ: 20 Q. Do you -- do you read this that he would 21 have done it or do you read it that he doesn't have 22 time and he is expecting the DCs to do it? 23 A. I read it as he doesn't have time, he is 24 expecting the DCs to look at those reports that he</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 87</p> <p>1 Q. Right. 2 Could you read the first paragraph? 3 A. The first sentence: 4 "I sent several control drug flagged items 5 out this morning. If your DC had a suspicious order 6 you would have received an e-mail from me by now." 7 Q. Okay. Do you know what that means? 8 A. It means that if the DC had a suspicious 9 order, he would have sent an e-mail out prior to this 10 particular e-mail. 11 Q. And you would get those e-mails, correct? 12 A. I don't know -- 13 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 14 BY THE WITNESS: 15 A. I'm not sure who he would have sent them 16 to. It just says "you would have," so I have to infer 17 that based on the people to, but I don't know what he 18 meant by it at that point in time. I didn't type it. 19 BY MR. GOETZ: 20 Q. And -- and can you read the second 21 paragraph? 22 A. "I would like to remind everyone that due 23 to the amount of suspicious orders flagged, I do not 24 have the time to follow up on each item I send out.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 89</p> <p>1 sent out, but either way you should have results 2 attached to your files as per policy. 3 Q. He is looking to the distribution centers 4 to do some investigation of suspicious orders, 5 correct? 6 A. Yes, it says it is the DC's 7 responsibility. 8 Q. And the only person this was sent to at 9 the Indiana distribution center was you, correct? 10 A. This e-mail, correct. 11 Q. Or the e-mail. 12 And you were not doing any investigation, 13 correct? 14 A. I was not doing any investigations on 15 suspicious order monitoring. 16 Q. Do you know how this could have gotten to 17 somebody that might have been doing it? 18 A. How this e-mail could have gotten to 19 somebody? 20 Q. Yeah. Did -- did you forward it? 21 A. I don't recall forwarding it, but he said 22 he sent out several drug flagged items. Maybe he sent 23 those to other people in the facility. 24 Q. So you -- I apologize. I cut you off.</p>

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1 A. No. Because it says the DC's
2 responsibility, so he may have sent it to someone else
3 in the DC.
4 Q. He -- how many people are copied on this
5 e-mail when you say he -- you think that he sent this
6 e-mail to -- how many people are -- one, two, three
7 four, five, six, seven --
8 A. Well, sir, to help you, when he says he
9 sent several control drugs flagged by them that
10 morning, it would -- if there was an e-mail where it
11 shows they were sent to me, then I would be able to
12 say, Yes, they were sent to me. He just say he sent
13 them out, but I don't - and there is no attachment to
14 it, so I -- I can't -- I don't want to assume
15 anything. I just don't recall having it and him
16 saying that he sent it to the -- it was the DC's
17 responsibility. He may have sent it to somebody else.
18 That's all I'm saying.
19 Q. You -- you think he sent this to 16 people
20 and then sent a separate one to somebody else saying,
21 Oh, I have to make sure Indiana distribution center
22 actually has somebody looking at it so I'm going to
23 send it to somebody else?
24 MR. CLARK: Object to form.

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1 BY MR. GOETZ:
2 Q. Is that what I understood?
3 MR. CLARK: Object to form.
4 BY THE WITNESS:
5 A. I don't know what he was inferring at this
6 point in time. He sent it out and said he sent out
7 several earlier in that morning.
8 Like I said, it would help if there was an
9 e-mail that showed him sending it to me. I don't
10 know -- I don't what he sent out that morning is all
11 I'm saying.
12 BY MR. GOETZ:
13 Q. Mr. Dugger --
14 A. Yes.
15 Q. -- I -- I -- I will represent to you that
16 the way discovery is done in this case, and Mr. Clark
17 can object if I am wrong, is that we only get
18 suspicious orders if there was a store contained
19 within Cuyahoga or Summit County that was identified
20 on that day's report.
21 A. Okay.
22 Q. So unless by chance this day had a -- an
23 order of Cuyahoga and Summit, we would not get the
24 follow-up E -- we would not get that order.

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1 MR. CLARK: I object to the testimony from
2 counsel and the --
3 MR. GOETZ: Am I wrong --
4 MR. CLARK: -- form of the question to the
5 extent it is a question.
6 MR. GOETZ: Am I wrong about -- about how
7 discovery works? Am I wrong about what's being
8 produced?
9 MR. CLARK: I'm not being deposed.
10 MR. GOETZ: Am I -- I'm -- I'm asking if I'm
11 wrong? I'm -- I'm trying to -- he says he needs the
12 other documents.
13 BY THE WITNESS:
14 A. What I'm say -- what I'm try -- what I'm
15 saying is that you just said -- you were asking me
16 this particular thing as though I'm responsible for
17 it, and I'm just pointing out it says the DC's
18 responsibility, he said he sent it out earlier, I'm
19 saying that maybe he sent it to someone else in the
20 DC.
21 If there was an e-mail that shows it -- it
22 was sent to me that particular morning, then I would
23 be able to say, yes, sir, it was in fact sent to me.
24 I'm just saying it says the DC's responsibility.

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1 And going back to your other exhibit where
2 it says Rx to DC Rx and loss prevention and really
3 going back to the other exhibits that has Gary
4 Lamberth signing them, maybe he sent them to Gary
5 Lamberth. I don't know. I just don't recall ever
6 re -- receiving anything.
7 BY MR. GOETZ:
8 Q. Gary Lamberth is not on this e-mail marked
9 "high," is he?
10 A. He is not.
11 Q. Mr. Dugger, the reality is in -- in the --
12 is CVS never told you you were doing suspicious
13 monitoring, did they?
14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
15 BY THE WITNESS:
16 A. I don't recall them telling me that I had
17 to do suspicious order monitoring, no.
18 BY MR. GOETZ:
19 Q. And -- and -- and yet they kept sending
20 you, the only person in the Indiana distribution
21 center, documents related to suspicious order
22 monitoring, didn't they?
23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
24 BY THE WITNESS:

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1 A. There were documents with my name attached
2 to it, yeah.
3 BY MR. GOETZ:
4 Q. Because nobody was doing it at the Indiana
5 distribution center, were they?
6 A. Mr. Gary Lamberth --
7 MR. CLARK: Object to form.
8 BY THE WITNESS:
9 A. -- was signing them, so he must have been
10 looking over them at that point in time.
11 BY MR. GOETZ:
12 Q. I -- I'm asking about whether there was an
13 investigation. I'm not asking about review of that
14 IRR for those few dates. I'm asking if there was an
15 investigation.
16 A. I did not conduct any investigations at
17 all. I don't even know what an investigation would
18 con -- consist of as relates to suspicious order
19 monitoring.
20 I mean, your Exhibit 15 has a date of
21 September 28th of '10, this e-mail here has
22 October 12th of '10, so Gary may have been receiving
23 them at that point in time.
24 Q. You -- you understand that we talked about

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1 Exhibit 15. Those are reports that come day -- five
2 days a week, which is why they have different dates,
3 correct?
4 A. Yes.
5 Q. Do you know what a controlled recap is,
6 controlled drug recap?
7 A. I do not. I can't recall what that is.
8 I'd probably need to see it.
9 MR. GOETZ: Would you mark this, please, as 39.
10 Thank you.
11 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was
12 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition
13 Exhibit No. 39, for identification,
14 as of 01/23/2019.)
15 BY MR. GOETZ:
16 Q. Could you turn to Page 9742.
17 A. Yes.
18 Q. I will represent for the record this is
19 not a complete document. This is only the first few
20 pages of a significantly longer document that has many
21 other dates, okay, just for the record. But I just
22 wanted to ask you about something.
23 Do you see it says "January 2011 Control
24 IRR Recap"?

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1 A. On 9742?
2 Q. Yes, sir.
3 A. Yes.
4 Q. And do you know what this document is?
5 A. A control IRR recap from January of 2011.
6 Q. Do you -- is it your understanding that
7 this document is a -- stop. Strike that.
8 What is your understanding of what this
9 document is?
10 A. I have no idea about -- it says "recap," I
11 see my name along with Gary Milikan's. I don't ever
12 recall seeing this, so, but it says it is a control
13 IRR recap and it has my name and Gary Milikan's name
14 on here on this first page twice. I don't -- I'm
15 sorry. I don't know what it is, I don't -- other than
16 it's what it says, it is a recap.
17 Q. If you look at -- at the left-hand column,
18 it says, "Distrib" -- "DC," correct, distribution
19 center?
20 A. Yes.
21 Q. And then it has "Store," correct?
22 A. That's correct.
23 Q. And then it has "IRR date," correct?
24 A. That's correct.

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1 Q. And that IRR is the same thing we looked
2 at earlier in Exhibit 4, not the same document, but
3 the same format, correct?
4 A. Yes.
5 Q. Okay. And so that IRR, and those are the
6 potentially suspicious orders that show up on that
7 report.
8 Do you understand that?
9 A. Yes.
10 Q. And then it says "Item in Question,"
11 correct?
12 A. It does.
13 Q. And it then says "Item Number"?
14 A. For Column 6, yeah.
15 Q. Yes.
16 And then nash -- "NDC," which is national
17 drug codes, correct?
18 A. Yes.
19 Q. And then "Quantity Ordered," do you see
20 that?
21 A. Yep.
22 Q. "Order Mistake"?
23 A. Yes.
24 Q. "Field LP Contacted."

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 98</p> <p>1 Do you see that?</p> <p>2 A. I do.</p> <p>3 Q. It says "Date File Started," "Date File</p> <p>4 Completed," "Investigation Needed," "File of Case</p> <p>5 Attached to IRR."</p> <p>6 Did I read those columns correctly?</p> <p>7 A. You did.</p> <p>8 Q. This is actually, sir, a recap of those</p> <p>9 items that showed up on the IRR that received</p> <p>10 additional due diligence.</p> <p>11 Does that refresh your recollection?</p> <p>12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>13 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>14 A. When you are saying additional due</p> <p>15 diligence, that means someone else looked into it.</p> <p>16 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>17 Q. Right. Fair?</p> <p>18 A. If that's the recap, that's the recap.</p> <p>19 Q. And -- and this says you did it?</p> <p>20 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>21 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>22 Q. Does it say "field LP contacted"?</p> <p>23 A. It just says the person contacted. It</p> <p>24 doesn't say I conducted an investigation. It just</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 100</p> <p>1 A. As it relates to what my understanding of</p> <p>2 my role there at CVS was, yes.</p> <p>3 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>4 Q. And you don't know anybody that was</p> <p>5 investigating any orders that were potentially</p> <p>6 suspicious, do you?</p> <p>7 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>8 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>9 A. I -- I thought John Mortelliti said he was</p> <p>10 investigating them here and he would send it over to</p> <p>11 us when -- if there were some issues or he would</p> <p>12 e-mail them.</p> <p>13 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>14 Q. He'd e-mail those that needed</p> <p>15 investigation, correct?</p> <p>16 A. According to that Exhibit 9, if they were</p> <p>17 declared "not suspicious or there is an</p> <p>18 investigation," it is the DC's responsibility. It</p> <p>19 would have been the DC Rx. I mean, it -- it wasn't</p> <p>20 anyone in loss prevention. We didn't do anything with</p> <p>21 suspicious order monitoring.</p> <p>22 MR. GOETZ: Let's take five minutes.</p> <p>23 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>24 A. I don't -- I just don't recall doing</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 99</p> <p>1 says -- and it also misses -- lists Gary Milikan's</p> <p>2 name there as well.</p> <p>3 Q. Gary Milikan assumed that you must have</p> <p>4 been the one to do it because he did not do any due</p> <p>5 diligence on any orders at this time.</p> <p>6 A. I didn't do any due diligence --</p> <p>7 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>8 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>9 A. I don't do either -- any either. I don't</p> <p>10 recall ever doing any type of investigation for</p> <p>11 suspicious order monitoring.</p> <p>12 Again, my crew was there for the security</p> <p>13 of the -- the drugs while they were there inside the</p> <p>14 facility and to investigate any shortages that were</p> <p>15 presented. I just don't recall doing this at all.</p> <p>16 I -- I don't remember -- I don't even remember seeing</p> <p>17 this report here.</p> <p>18 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>19 Q. And that was your understanding what your,</p> <p>20 as you put on your LinkedIn, compliance with DEA</p> <p>21 regulations was, correct?</p> <p>22 A. As it --</p> <p>23 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>24 BY THE WITNESS:</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 101</p> <p>1 anything with suspicious order monitoring at all.</p> <p>2 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>3 Q. I'm sorry. I didn't mean to cut you off.</p> <p>4 A. Well, I'm just saying I don't re -- I just</p> <p>5 don't recall doing anything with suspicious order</p> <p>6 monitoring. I just don't recall doing anything with</p> <p>7 it.</p> <p>8 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at</p> <p>9 10:59 a.m.</p> <p>10 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had</p> <p>11 from 10:59 to 11:14 a.m.)</p> <p>12 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record at</p> <p>13 11:14 a.m.</p> <p>14 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>15 Q. Mr. Dugger, do you know what a Viper</p> <p>16 analyst is?</p> <p>17 A. Yeah, I have an idea as to what a Viper</p> <p>18 analyst is.</p> <p>19 Q. What do you think it is?</p> <p>20 A. I'm trying to recollect. So, CVS has --</p> <p>21 or had when I was there individuals who are</p> <p>22 responsible for generating reports, just in retail</p> <p>23 investigations. They are basically exception-based</p> <p>24 reporting. And they would -- you would print out</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 102</p> <p>1 things like shortages under \$10 followed by an under 2 ring, normally for the stores from a retail 3 standpoint. And it was just a way for the store 4 investigators or loss prevention managers to kind of 5 quickly rule out a number of just returns that were 6 made and they can look at certain things that indicate 7 whether or not a theft may have occurred involving an 8 employee. 9 So the Viper analysts that I recall, they 10 were individuals who kind of printed out those 11 reports, so they were responsible for kind of going 12 through them and giving it to the field guys. 13 I never dealt with the Viper analysts, but 14 we just had a -- a regional business office there at 15 the Indianapolis DC, so I kind of knew some of those 16 individuals there, but that's my understanding of what 17 their roles are. 18 MR. GOETZ: Can you mark this, please, 21. 19 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 20 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition 21 Exhibit No. 21, for identification, 22 as of 01/23/2019.) 23 BY MR. GOETZ: 24 Q. I've put in front of you what's been</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 104</p> <p>1 A. I do. 2 Q. Is that you? 3 A. It is not. 4 Q. Who is Don Dugger? 5 A. It looks like he is a regional loss 6 prevention manager somewhere. 7 Q. Do you know him? 8 A. I do not, no relation. 9 Q. I -- I figured it was you under -- and I 10 apologize -- under some other name. I -- I -- I 11 apologize. 12 This is kind of what you were talking 13 about, these are the theft reports, correct, these 14 are -- are reports to help determine whether or not 15 there was theft? 16 A. That's my understanding of what a Viper 17 analyst did, but I -- I don't -- I don't recall seeing 18 this report before. 19 Q. This is a Viper Rx report, correct? 20 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 21 BY THE WITNESS: 22 A. It says "Viper Rx PDMR," correct. 23 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 24 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 103</p> <p>1 marked as Exhibit 21, and it is, again, a part of a 2 document that begins on page -- Bates No. 68372 and 3 ends on 68376. I do not believe that's the full 4 document. I didn't think it was necessary to print 5 the full report. 6 Have you seen this Viper report before? 7 A. I don't ever recall seeing it. 8 Q. If -- if you look right under the title, 9 it says "fiscal March through May." 10 Do you see that? 11 MR. CLARK: I'll take your word for it. My copy 12 is hard to read. 13 MR. GOETZ: So is ours. 14 BY MR. GOETZ: 15 Q. And do you see it says "high theft drug"? 16 A. Yes, I can kind of make it out. 17 Q. Okay. And then it says "by GCN." 18 Do you see that? 19 A. Yes. 20 Q. And GCN is the -- the number assigned by 21 CVS, is that correct? 22 A. I have no idea what GCN stands for. 23 Q. Okay. Could you go to 68373. 24 Do you see where it says "Don Dugger"?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 105</p> <p>1 Exhibit No. 6, for identification, as 2 of 01/23/2019.) 3 BY MR. GOETZ: 4 Q. I'm going to show you what's been marked 5 as Exhibit 6. 6 That is an e-mail from Amy Propatier to 7 Annette Lamoureux? 8 A. Yes. 9 Q. Do you know who Annette Lamoureux is? 10 A. Yes. 11 Q. Who is Annette Lamoureux? 12 A. She was a supervisor at -- under Sean 13 Humphries at the Woonsocket distribution center there 14 in Woonsocket, Rhode Island. 15 Q. And the -- the title or subject of this is 16 "DEA SOP 8-25-10"? 17 A. Document, yes. 18 Q. Could you turn to the next page, please. 19 Do you recognize that document? 20 A. I see it's the CVS Distribution Center 21 Controlled Drug - DEA Standard Operating Procedures 22 Manual. It's the manual. I don't recall it, but I'm 23 pretty sure we had it there. It says it's the 24 operating manual.</p>

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<p>1 Q. Did you ever review it?</p> <p>2 A. I don't recall reviewing it, but, again,</p> <p>3 as a part of my job, I may have looked at it, certain</p> <p>4 aspects of it, you know, specifically how to handle a</p> <p>5 DEA inspection, but I don't have any kind of</p> <p>6 recollection of actually reading all of it. I</p> <p>7 just don't -- I don't remember.</p> <p>8 Q. Could -- could you go to Page 88996,</p> <p>9 please. And if you look at the bottom of that.</p> <p>10 Are you there?</p> <p>11 A. Yes, 88996.</p> <p>12 Q. Yeah. And it says: "Prevention and</p> <p>13 Monitoring of Controlled Drug and PSE Suspicious</p> <p>14 Orders"?</p> <p>15 A. Yes.</p> <p>16 Q. And then under that it says: "Prevention</p> <p>17 and Monitoring of Controlled Drugs Suspicious Orders."</p> <p>18 Do you see that?</p> <p>19 A. I do.</p> <p>20 Q. And it says: "1. General." And I'm</p> <p>21 going to read to you and you tell me if I read it</p> <p>22 in -- in a -- incorrectly.</p> <p>23 "DEA regulations require that all</p> <p>24 distributors must design a system to monitor, detect</p>	<p>1 paid for.</p> <p>2 Q. Okay.</p> <p>3 Or delivery or anything related to that,</p> <p>4 correct?</p> <p>5 A. No, I -- large orders, no. Delivery,</p> <p>6 there was responsibility, again, from the standpoint</p> <p>7 of ensuring that orders that -- product that was being</p> <p>8 ordered were being sent correctly because, again, we</p> <p>9 moved them from our warehouse to the store. So from a</p> <p>10 delivery standpoint, ensuring that they got from A to</p> <p>11 B, from that aspect. But in terms of large quantities</p> <p>12 or suspicious orders, I don't recall having that as a</p> <p>13 scope of my work.</p> <p>14 Q. Standard operating procedures are</p> <p>15 critical.</p> <p>16 Do you agree with that?</p> <p>17 A. I agree.</p> <p>18 Q. Important that you follow them to the</p> <p>19 letter.</p> <p>20 Do you agree with that?</p> <p>21 A. If they are written in such that they</p> <p>22 should be followed to the letter, yes.</p> <p>23 Q. Could you go back to Exhibit 2, please.</p> <p>24 Do you see Exhibit 2?</p>
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<p>1 and report any suspicious control drug orders.</p> <p>2 Suspicious orders are those involving an extraordinary</p> <p>3 quantity, an uncommon method of payment or delivery or</p> <p>4 any other circumstance that may indicate the control</p> <p>5 drug will be used in violation of the law."</p> <p>6 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>7 A. You read it correctly.</p> <p>8 Q. And according to your testimony today,</p> <p>9 one, you're not aware of that DEA requirement while</p> <p>10 you were at CVS?</p> <p>11 MR. CLARK: Object to form.</p> <p>12 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>13 A. I just don't recall. It just wasn't</p> <p>14 something that I did on a daily basis here. It</p> <p>15 wasn't -- this wasn't my scope of work.</p> <p>16 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>17 Q. And you had nothing to do with suspicious</p> <p>18 order monitoring as it relates to orders involving an</p> <p>19 extraordinary quantity?</p> <p>20 A. No, sir, I don't -- I don't recall ever</p> <p>21 having to do any investigations regarding</p> <p>22 suspicious -- orders of large amounts.</p> <p>23 Q. Or uncommon method of payment?</p> <p>24 A. Yeah, I wouldn't even know how they were</p>	<p>1 A. I have it here.</p> <p>2 Q. And then if we go back to 1301.74(b), the</p> <p>3 last sentence reads:</p> <p>4 "Suspicious orders include orders of</p> <p>5 unusual size."</p> <p>6 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>7 A. That's correct.</p> <p>8 Q. If we go back to the SOM SOP that CVS</p> <p>9 wrote, they actually said "extraordinary quantity."</p> <p>10 Do you interpret those as the same thing?</p> <p>11 A. No, because they are using two different</p> <p>12 words.</p> <p>13 Q. And you --</p> <p>14 A. I don't know what the DEA meant -- means</p> <p>15 by "unusual" and what CVS meant by, you said,</p> <p>16 "extraordinary." I don't --</p> <p>17 Q. Ex -- extraordinary quantity seems like it</p> <p>18 is -- it's a larger amount, correct?</p> <p>19 A. Yeah, I understand extraordinary, I</p> <p>20 understand what that means, but whether or not they</p> <p>21 mean the same thing, unusual and extraordinary, I see</p> <p>22 a lot of unusual things, very seldom do I see anything</p> <p>23 extraordinary.</p> <p>24 Q. I agree. Right. Extraordinary quantity</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 110</p> <p>1 is an order that is -- is -- is of extreme size. 2 Can we agree with that? 3 A. Yes. 4 Q. Okay. That is not the same as unusual 5 size? 6 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 7 BY THE WITNESS: 8 A. I would say it -- I don't know what the 9 DEA meant by "unusual," but to me, my own personal 10 definition, unusual is something odd. Extraordinary, 11 is -- it would be something that's beyond being odd. 12 BY MR. GOETZ: 13 Q. And these -- this is a -- a -- something 14 that has to be followed to the letter? 15 A. Most SOPs should be followed to the 16 letter, like I said, unless they are written in such a 17 way where, you know, there is wiggle room to not 18 follow them by the letter. 19 Q. Do you see any wiggle room here in -- in 20 this SOP? 21 A. I would have to read through it. 22 Q. Do you see any wiggle room where it says: 23 "Suspicious orders are those involving an 24 extraordinary quantity, an uncommon method of payment</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 112</p> <p>1 BY MR. GOETZ: 2 Q. You don't find that ambiguous, do you, 3 "extraordinary quantity"? 4 A. Not necessarily. But, again, I don't -- I 5 didn't write extraordinary, so I don't know if -- I -- 6 I can assume what they meant by it, but I don't want 7 to assume anything because I didn't write it. 8 Q. Mr. Dugger -- 9 A. Yes. 10 Q. -- your job was -- was relying on the SOPs 11 and working through the SOPs on a daily basis. I 12 mean, that was part of what you did, right, follow the 13 standard operating procedures to the letter? 14 A. My job was to do what was asked of me, and 15 I can't recall everything that was in an SOP. If I 16 needed to relate back to it, it was there, but I don't 17 think you could find anyone that can recite verbatim 18 an SOP that they read at the time they were hired or 19 any particular time. You refer back to it if you 20 needed to, and I would have referred back to it if I 21 needed to. If there was something within my scope of 22 work for me to refer back to it, I would have done 23 that, but -- 24 Q. So --</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 111</p> <p>1 or delivery, or any other circumstance that may 2 indicate the controlled drug will be used in violation 3 of the law"? 4 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 5 BY THE WITNESS: 6 A. I didn't write it. I would need to 7 read -- read it in its entirety. Again, I'm not -- 8 you know, I'm -- I'm not a lawyer, so I -- you know, 9 so I can't -- I would need to read it in its entirety 10 to see whether or not there are some ambiguities with 11 it, but that's what they wrote there, that's what they 12 wrote. 13 BY MR. GOETZ: 14 Q. And -- and -- and it's up to you to follow 15 it? 16 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 17 BY THE WITNESS: 18 A. Well, in this particular case it wasn't up 19 to me to follow it. Again, I didn't have anything to 20 do with drug suspicious orders. My job there was to 21 ensure that the product was -- that our employees were 22 safe first and foremost, and that the -- the drugs 23 were -- stayed within the cage and they were sent to 24 where they needed to go and we didn't have any losses.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 113</p> <p>1 A. -- I couldn't recite what I read at this 2 point in time or even then. 3 Q. So you -- because you had to follow it to 4 the letter, you -- you wrote that in e-mails and you 5 sent it out to a ton of people, didn't you? 6 A. I -- I wrote what? 7 Q. That you need to follow the SOPs to the 8 letter? 9 A. I'm pretty sure I would have said people 10 need to follow it to the letter, but, again, we are 11 talking about your scope of work. Everything within 12 the SOP may not apply to everyone. 13 So if it applied to an individual, they 14 are looking at it, there are things that says security 15 or things that says recordkeeping and accountability. 16 So if it fell with under your scope of work, then you 17 should follow it to the letter. Unless, again, like I 18 said, there is areas where it allows you not to. 19 Q. Could -- could you go to the next page, 20 please, of that, 88997? 21 Do you see down below it says "Escalation 22 of Review"? 23 A. Yes. 24 Q. And it says:</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 114</p> <p>1 "The DC pharmacy supervisor shall verify 2 specific ordered items and notify the field Viper 3 analyst and the DC's loss prevention manager by e-mail 4 or fax of any orders that appear to be ex" -- 5 "excessive or potentially suspicious as soon as 6 possible." 7 You were the DC loss prevention manager, 8 correct? 9 A. I was. 10 Q. Did you ever get an e-mail about a 11 potentially suspicious order? 12 A. I can't say if -- if I -- I can't say I've 13 never received an e-mail or if I have received one. I 14 just don't recall ever receiving an e-mail regarding 15 anything about excessive orders. I received a 16 plethora of e-mails regarding shortages. I just don't 17 recall ever receiving an e-mail from, at this point it 18 would have been Robert Richardson, I believe, he was 19 the pharmacy supervisor, I think, but I don't -- I 20 don't recall receiving anything, but it -- 21 Q. Do you have a -- 22 A. -- doesn't mean that I didn't. 23 Q. I understand. 24 You -- you have no independent memory of</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 116</p> <p>1 that? 2 A. I received a lot of e-mails about losses 3 from the stores about their shipments. 4 Q. And -- and the reason that was important 5 was because that was product for which CVS didn't get 6 paid, right? 7 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 8 BY THE WITNESS: 9 A. I don't know whether or not that CVS 10 didn't get paid for it. I'm talking about the DC 11 sending product to the stores. Very seldom, if at 12 all, do I recall getting involved in the delivery from 13 McKesson, ABC, Cardinal Health coming to the facility. 14 That was something that someone else handled. 15 BY MR. GOETZ: 16 Q. Mr. Dugger, if -- if -- if the 17 distribution center -- 18 A. I'm sorry if I misunderstand. 19 Q. -- thinks they shipped 100 doses of a drug 20 and the -- the pharmacy says they only received 90 -- 21 A. Okay. 22 Q. -- there are -- that's a loss of ten, 23 correct? 24 A. It may not be a loss of ten. It may</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 115</p> <p>1 ever receiving an e-mail about excessive or 2 potentially suspicious orders? 3 A. I can't recall. It just -- it just wasn't 4 something that I did on a -- that my team was 5 responsible for, so I -- even if you told me about a 6 loss, I would be like, well, losses we investigated, 7 but I couldn't tell you about a specific one unless, 8 you know, I saw it, but I just don't recall -- I don't 9 recall seeing it. I apologize. 10 Q. That's fine. 11 I -- I'm just asking if you have any 12 independent memory -- 13 A. No, I don't. 14 Q. -- of ever -- okay. 15 MR. CLARK: Object to form. 16 BY MR. GOETZ: 17 Q. And do you have any independent memory of 18 ever receiving a fax about an order that appeared 19 excessive or potentially suspicious? 20 A. No, I don't recall receiving any -- 21 anything about any excessive or potentially suspicious 22 orders. 23 Q. You received, you said, regular 24 communication about losses, correct, you just said</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 117</p> <p>1 only -- 2 Q. It's a -- it's a -- it's a reported loss 3 of ten that you have to investigate? 4 A. Correct. 5 Q. And the reason you investigate it is 6 because that ten should be sold and if it's not found, 7 then CVS didn't receive revenue for that ten, correct? 8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 9 BY THE WITNESS: 10 A. I mean, it doesn't mean -- we didn't 11 receive it from a sales standpoint, but it could still 12 be left in the DC, it could have been mis-picked there 13 at -- or from the store level. A number of things can 14 happen with it. 15 BY MR. GOETZ: 16 Q. I -- I -- I get it. 17 A. Right. 18 Q. But if -- if there is actually a loss, the 19 truck driver stole it out of the tote or the -- the 20 pharmacy tech stole it at the pharmacy, CVS is not 21 getting paid then for that ten, correct? 22 A. They are not getting paid from a purchase 23 standpoint. I don't know what they have from -- in 24 terms of insurance or...</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 118</p> <p>1 Q. Do you know if they have insurance?</p> <p>2 A. I don't know.</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. I have -- don't have no idea.</p> <p>6 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>7 Q. All right. They monitor something that</p> <p>8 can result in a loss of revenue closely?</p> <p>9 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>10 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>11 A. Was that a question? I'm sorry.</p> <p>12 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>13 Q. Yeah.</p> <p>14 A. Can you repeat it? I'm sorry.</p> <p>15 Q. Do they monitor something that could</p> <p>16 result in a close -- a loss of revenue closely?</p> <p>17 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>18 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>19 A. I don't know what they do. It has been a</p> <p>20 number of years since I've worked there.</p> <p>21 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>22 Q. Could we go back to your LinkedIn page,</p> <p>23 please.</p> <p>24 A. Was that the very first thing?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 120</p> <p>1 Lamberth's work on the IRR?</p> <p>2 A. I'm not aware.</p> <p>3 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. I'm not aware.</p> <p>6 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>7 Q. You were the recipient of the item review</p> <p>8 report, correct?</p> <p>9 A. They came to -- they had my name on there,</p> <p>10 but like I said, they went to the Rx department's box.</p> <p>11 Q. And after they would be printed, they</p> <p>12 would be put into a Bankers Box, correct?</p> <p>13 A. Yes, something like that, yeah.</p> <p>14 Q. Yeah. They -- right.</p> <p>15 And did you ever see anybody audit them</p> <p>16 from the Bankers Box?</p> <p>17 A. I don't -- no, I don't recall anyone</p> <p>18 conducting audits there at the mail slots, no.</p> <p>19 Q. Are -- are you aware that they were not</p> <p>20 saved electronically?</p> <p>21 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>22 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>23 A. I was not aware, but if they are printed</p> <p>24 out electronically, I think someone would have them</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 119</p> <p>1 MR. CLARK: Exhibit 1.</p> <p>2 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>3 Q. Yes.</p> <p>4 Do you see the -- the paragraph we had</p> <p>5 read earlier about CVS, and it says:</p> <p>6 "Through auditing and report reviews</p> <p>7 ensured regulatory compliance with DEA regulations."</p> <p>8 And I -- I shortened some of the other stuff, but</p> <p>9 that's what you wrote, correct?</p> <p>10 A. That's what I wrote.</p> <p>11 Q. While you were at CVS, was there ever a</p> <p>12 mon -- any auditing of the suspicious order monitoring</p> <p>13 program?</p> <p>14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>15 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>16 A. By -- by me?</p> <p>17 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>18 Q. By -- are you aware of anybody ever doing</p> <p>19 it?</p> <p>20 A. That's auditing the program? I don't --</p> <p>21 no, I don't recall anyone there at the DC auditing the</p> <p>22 program. Like I said, the IRR reports were there and</p> <p>23 Gary Lamberth signed off on them.</p> <p>24 Q. Who -- who -- did anybody ever audit Gary</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 121</p> <p>1 somewhere. There has to be a program that generated</p> <p>2 the report, so you'd think they would have it, but I</p> <p>3 don't -- I'm not aware of that.</p> <p>4 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>5 Q. I would have thought that as well, but are</p> <p>6 you aware that they were not saved electronically,</p> <p>7 that was --</p> <p>8 A. I -- I'm not aware. I don't know.</p> <p>9 Q. And so if they are only in a hard copy,</p> <p>10 somebody to audit it actually has to go dig through</p> <p>11 the boxes, correct?</p> <p>12 A. Yeah, that's the problem with being an</p> <p>13 investigator, sometimes you have to do legwork. You</p> <p>14 have to dig through things. I've been there, done</p> <p>15 that. But sometimes you have to investigate, you have</p> <p>16 to look through it.</p> <p>17 Q. Did you ever do it for anything related to</p> <p>18 suspicious order monitoring?</p> <p>19 A. No, sir. I --</p> <p>20 Q. Where --</p> <p>21 A. -- I don't recall -- I don't recall ever</p> <p>22 doing any investigations or anything for suspicious</p> <p>23 order monitoring. I -- I just don't recall doing</p> <p>24 that, no.</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 122</p> <p>1 Q. Where were the item review reports 2 maintained? We talked about they are in a -- in a 3 Bankers Box. 4 Where was that Bankers Box kept? 5 A. Well, when you say "Bankers Box," I was 6 referring to a slot, the mail slot that they went 7 into. I don't know where they -- actually when they 8 were done, I don't know what they did with them after 9 that. That's what I -- when you said auditing, I was 10 referring to the -- the bankers slot where you put 11 them inside the slot, the mail slot, that's what I was 12 referring to when you said "Bankers Box." I know what 13 you mean by it now, but -- but if they were put in 14 Bankers Boxes, I have no idea where they put them or 15 what they did with them at that point in time. 16 Q. You -- you had no idea what was to happen 17 with them after they were printed other than you -- 18 you put them in a slot? 19 A. Correct. After a certain time, like I 20 said, before they kind of -- they were in my office 21 for a while and then a period of time passed and they 22 were given to the Rx department's mail slot. 23 Q. Did you ever see a box full of -- did you 24 ever see a box full of item review reports?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 124</p> <p>1 Q. Are -- are there any people on there that 2 are at the Indiana distribution center? 3 A. Other than myself, at this time, no. 4 Q. Okay. 5 A. I don't know who is there now. 6 Q. And so you were the -- the one, according 7 to this e-mail, responsible for DEA compliance and 8 completing this review, correct? 9 A. I was responsible for completing this 10 attachment. 11 Q. And -- and what is this attachment? 12 A. It says it is the -- I don't know what the 13 attachment is. There is no name for it. It just has 14 a number of listings here, "Policy Review," "Purchase 15 Order Review." 16 Q. And it says "Subject: DEA Compliance," 17 the attachment? 18 A. It does. 19 Q. And it -- it says: 20 "Based on request upon review of DEA SOP, 21 Title 21 CFR and other related materials, below is a 22 list of questions. Questions are to be" -- "are 23 separated into specific areas." 24 Do you see that?</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 123</p> <p>1 A. That I boxed -- like I said, there were a 2 number of them in my office that just didn't get 3 looked at and they have -- may have been put into a 4 box, but I don't recall seeing anything just in a box 5 and stored anywhere. I don't recall seeing that at 6 all. 7 Q. I might have asked you this, but would you 8 agree that the ability to audit a system or a process 9 is critical? 10 A. I would agree. 11 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was 12 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition 13 Exhibit No. 31, for identification, 14 as of 01/23/2019.) 15 BY MR. GOETZ: 16 Q. I'm showing you what's been marked as 17 Exhibit 31. 18 Do you see that? 19 A. The exhibit you just gave, yes. 20 Q. Yes, sir. 21 That is an e-mail from Pam Hinkle? 22 A. Yes. 23 Q. And it's to a number of people? 24 A. Yes.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 125</p> <p>1 A. Yes. 2 Q. And do you see it says "Policy Review" in 3 Paragraph 7? 4 A. Yep. 5 Q. And it says: 6 "Is the DEA compliance coordinator 7 contacting stores per, and complying with the 8 suspicious order monitoring SOP?" 9 Do you see that? 10 A. I do. 11 Q. You never did that audit, did you? 12 MR. CLARK: Object to the form. 13 BY THE WITNESS: 14 A. You mean complete this and turn it in you 15 mean? When you said audit? 16 BY MR. GOETZ: 17 Q. Yes. Did you ever -- did you ever confirm 18 that that was happening? 19 A. I can't recall doing that because the DEA 20 compliance coordinator would have been someone in Rx 21 department. That's the person who would have had that 22 role. I just don't recall doing it. 23 Q. Mr. Dugger, you were the only person at 24 the Indiana distribution center this DEA compliance</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 126</p> <p>1 checklist was sent to, correct?</p> <p>2 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>3 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>4 A. At the Indianapolis DC, correct.</p> <p>5 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>6 Q. Yes.</p> <p>7 It was your responsibility to complete</p> <p>8 this form and return it, correct?</p> <p>9 A. Yeah, that's correct.</p> <p>10 Q. Okay. And --</p> <p>11 A. But I would have had to go through several</p> <p>12 people to get a number of the answers, so I would have</p> <p>13 had to go to people -- to the Rx department, ARCOS</p> <p>14 reporting, a number of things on here that I would</p> <p>15 have had to go through other members of the -- of</p> <p>16 the -- of the facility to get the answers to complete</p> <p>17 it and send it in.</p> <p>18 Q. And do you think you did that?</p> <p>19 A. If it was asked of me to do it -- I just</p> <p>20 don't recall doing it, you know, but if it was asked</p> <p>21 of me to do it, I'm pretty sure I did it, but I --</p> <p>22 again, I don't want to assume anything. I just don't</p> <p>23 recall doing it. I don't re -- even remember seeing</p> <p>24 this.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 128</p> <p>1 monitoring because the suspicious order report is</p> <p>2 still in the testing stages, correct?</p> <p>3 A. It doesn't say don't monitor. It says</p> <p>4 just disregard the question. So that was a question</p> <p>5 as to whether or not people are complying with it.</p> <p>6 Basically it's in the testing stages.</p> <p>7 Q. So the suspicious order monitoring program</p> <p>8 in September of 2009, according to this, is still in</p> <p>9 the testing stages?</p> <p>10 MR. CLARK: Object to form.</p> <p>11 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>12 A. According to what Pam Hinkle wrote.</p> <p>13 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>14 Q. Do you know when it -- it came out of the</p> <p>15 testing stages?</p> <p>16 A. Yeah, I have no idea it was in the testing</p> <p>17 stage, so I don't, no. I'm not --</p> <p>18 Q. I mean, do you -- do you know if -- if --</p> <p>19 if it's in the testing stage how they are monitoring</p> <p>20 for suspicious orders?</p> <p>21 A. At this point in time?</p> <p>22 Q. Yeah.</p> <p>23 A. I do not.</p> <p>24 Q. What about in 2008?</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 127</p> <p>1 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was</p> <p>2 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p> <p>3 Exhibit No. 32, for identification,</p> <p>4 as of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>5 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>6 Q. Mr. Dugger, I'm going to show you what's</p> <p>7 been marked as Exhibit 32.</p> <p>8 A. That's almost ten years ago.</p> <p>9 Q. Again, I appreciate it is ten years ago.</p> <p>10 A. No, I'm just saying --</p> <p>11 Q. You just met with counsel, two sets of</p> <p>12 counsel representing CVS and Cardinal within the last</p> <p>13 few days, correct?</p> <p>14 A. Yes.</p> <p>15 Q. Okay. I'm showing you what's been marked</p> <p>16 as Exhibit 32.</p> <p>17 Do you see that?</p> <p>18 A. Yes.</p> <p>19 Q. And that appears to be a follow-up e-mail</p> <p>20 related to Question 7?</p> <p>21 A. I'll infer that, yeah.</p> <p>22 Q. Yeah.</p> <p>23 And -- and that says, Hey, don't worry</p> <p>24 about monitoring or auditing the suspicious order</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 129</p> <p>1 A. I don't know.</p> <p>2 Q. What about in 2007?</p> <p>3 A. I don't know.</p> <p>4 Q. What about in 2006?</p> <p>5 A. I don't know.</p> <p>6 MR. GOETZ: Can I have 33 to 35.</p> <p>7 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was</p> <p>8 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p> <p>9 Exhibit No. 34, for identification,</p> <p>10 as of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>11 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>12 Q. Mr. Dugger, I'm going to hand you what's</p> <p>13 been marked as Exhibit 34.</p> <p>14 Do you see that?</p> <p>15 A. Yes.</p> <p>16 Q. That is an e-mail sent from Wendy Foor?</p> <p>17 A. Yes.</p> <p>18 Q. And that is sent -- you are one of the</p> <p>19 recipients, correct?</p> <p>20 A. That is correct.</p> <p>21 Q. And the subject of that is "DEA SOP</p> <p>22 compliance."</p> <p>23 Do you see that?</p> <p>24 A. Yes.</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 130</p> <p>1 Q. Could you turn to the next page, please?</p> <p>2 (WHEREUPON, discussion was had</p> <p>3 off the stenographic record.)</p> <p>4 MR. GOETZ: Let's take a break.</p> <p>5 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at</p> <p>6 11:46 a.m.</p> <p>7 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had</p> <p>8 from 11:46 to 12:07 p.m.)</p> <p>9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record at</p> <p>10 12:07 p.m.</p> <p>11 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was</p> <p>12 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p> <p>13 Exhibit No. 34, for identification,</p> <p>14 as of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>15 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>16 Q. Mr. Dugger, I think what's been put in</p> <p>17 front of you is Exhibit 34, is that correct?</p> <p>18 A. Yes.</p> <p>19 Q. I apologize for the confusion and I</p> <p>20 appreciate you taking the break.</p> <p>21 That is an e-mail from Wendy Foor?</p> <p>22 A. Yes.</p> <p>23 Q. Who is Wendy? Did I pronounce it</p> <p>24 correctly? Who is Wendy Foor?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 132</p> <p>1 review. Please complete and provide the information</p> <p>2 by 4/15/10."</p> <p>3 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>4 A. You did.</p> <p>5 Q. And if you go down to 7, again, that --</p> <p>6 that paragraph, it says:</p> <p>7 "Is the DEA compliance coordinator</p> <p>8 contacting stores per, and complying with the</p> <p>9 suspicious order monitoring SOP?"</p> <p>10 Do you see that?</p> <p>11 A. I do.</p> <p>12 Q. And then in bold, it says:</p> <p>13 "Currently process is not being completed.</p> <p>14 Disregard until further notice!"</p> <p>15 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>16 A. You did.</p> <p>17 Q. That was your understanding that in April</p> <p>18 of 2010 the suspicious order monitoring SOP process</p> <p>19 was not being completed?</p> <p>20 A. According to this e-mail, that would have</p> <p>21 been my understanding.</p> <p>22 Q. You have no reason to think that that</p> <p>23 e-mail is wrong, correct?</p> <p>24 A. I have no reason to believe that, no.</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 131</p> <p>1 A. I can't recall who Wendy Foor is. I think</p> <p>2 the last name is pronounced correctly, but I can't</p> <p>3 remember what Wendy did or who she worked for.</p> <p>4 Q. And -- and that is to many people, that</p> <p>5 e-mail?</p> <p>6 A. It is to a number of people, correct.</p> <p>7 Q. And -- and you are one of those</p> <p>8 recipients?</p> <p>9 A. I am.</p> <p>10 Q. And the subject of that is "DEA SOP</p> <p>11 compliance"?</p> <p>12 A. Yes.</p> <p>13 Q. And, again, it -- the attachment, if you</p> <p>14 open it up, it is, again, a survey to be completed,</p> <p>15 correct, an audit to be completed by people related to</p> <p>16 DEA compliance?</p> <p>17 A. Yes.</p> <p>18 Q. And the -- the subject of it says: "DEA</p> <p>19 compliance" and then under that it reads:</p> <p>20 "In efforts to ensure compliance, below is</p> <p>21 a listing of questions derived from the DEA SOP titled</p> <p>22 21 CFR and other related materials. These questions</p> <p>23 are separated into spe" -- "specified areas containing</p> <p>24 policy, purchase order, damage, operational, facility</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 133</p> <p>1 Q. And -- and you were one of the recipients</p> <p>2 of this e-mail?</p> <p>3 A. I was one of them, correct.</p> <p>4 Q. Right.</p> <p>5 Were there -- is there anybody else on</p> <p>6 here, I know there is a -- a lot of people, is there</p> <p>7 anybody else on here related to the Indiana</p> <p>8 distribution center?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. Who?</p> <p>11 A. There is Victoria Pierce, who follows my</p> <p>12 name, there is Andy Linville, who follows Victoria.</p> <p>13 Q. Is that Michael A. Linville?</p> <p>14 A. It is.</p> <p>15 Q. Okay.</p> <p>16 A. Theresa Hanchett was there as well. And I</p> <p>17 think that's it.</p> <p>18 Q. What did Victoria Pierce do?</p> <p>19 A. She was responsible for environmental</p> <p>20 health and safety issues, an EHS specialist or</p> <p>21 supervisor there.</p> <p>22 Q. She had nothing re -- to do related to</p> <p>23 suspicious order monitoring of controlled substances?</p> <p>24 A. Yeah, no one in loss prevention did, no.</p>

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 134</p> <p>1 Q. Okay. What did Michael Linville do?</p> <p>2 A. He was responsible for investigating the</p> <p>3 shortages. He was the main person that would</p> <p>4 investigate the shortages there. He was responsible</p> <p>5 also for kind of supervising the uniform --</p> <p>6 supervising the supervisor of the uniform security</p> <p>7 they had there at site. Camera maintenance, he had</p> <p>8 a -- a maintenance tech that was assigned to him. So,</p> <p>9 you know, he had 200 plus cameras in that facility.</p> <p>10 He was responsible for ensuring those particular</p> <p>11 things from a -- he -- he was more the -- the -- the</p> <p>12 security person as opposed to the safety aspect of it.</p> <p>13 Q. And what about Theresa Hanchett?</p> <p>14 A. Theresa was a second shift person. I</p> <p>15 don't know how long she had been there at this point.</p> <p>16 We were given the opportunity to hire a second shift</p> <p>17 person because we had taken on -- CVS had taken on</p> <p>18 some acquisitions of some Longs stores at this time</p> <p>19 and I believe we were given the opportunity to hire a</p> <p>20 supervisor for second shift to have some oversight</p> <p>21 from a security standpoint, loss prevention, and</p> <p>22 that's the role that she served.</p> <p>23 Q. Did -- did those three people we just</p> <p>24 discussed, did they report to you?</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 136</p> <p>1 He was my immediate supervisor.</p> <p>2 Q. John Mortelliti was in Lumberton,</p> <p>3 New Jersey, correct?</p> <p>4 A. That's correct.</p> <p>5 Q. Okay. He was not at the Indiana</p> <p>6 distribution center overseeing suspicious order</p> <p>7 monitoring as of April of 2010, was he?</p> <p>8 A. He was not there at the facility, no.</p> <p>9 Q. Are -- you are aware of a number of</p> <p>10 different audits that occurred at CVS while you were</p> <p>11 there?</p> <p>12 A. There are audits that were conducted.</p> <p>13 Q. Yeah. There were internal audits and</p> <p>14 external audits by the DEA, correct?</p> <p>15 A. When you say internal audits by the DEA, I</p> <p>16 don't know what you are referring to.</p> <p>17 Q. I apologize. There are internal audits</p> <p>18 that CVS did like these forms we were just looking at,</p> <p>19 correct?</p> <p>20 A. There was a quarterly mock DEA audit. I</p> <p>21 don't -- I can't remember exactly what it was referred</p> <p>22 to or called, but there was a quarterly audit that the</p> <p>23 DCs were responsible for performing really just from</p> <p>24 a -- to ensure that, you know, that the drugs there</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 135</p> <p>1 A. They did.</p> <p>2 Q. Okay. So you're the top person on this</p> <p>3 e-mail as it relates to the Indiana distribution</p> <p>4 center, correct?</p> <p>5 A. Yes.</p> <p>6 Q. And -- and you are the person that</p> <p>7 corporate is informing that they are not doing any</p> <p>8 suspicious order monitoring, correct?</p> <p>9 A. Well, me and this -- everyone else on</p> <p>10 here, yes.</p> <p>11 Q. Yes. But you are the top person at the</p> <p>12 Indiana distribution center that's being informed of</p> <p>13 that?</p> <p>14 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.</p> <p>15 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>16 A. As it relates to loss prevention, yes.</p> <p>17 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>18 Q. Is -- is there anybody else on here</p> <p>19 related to the Indiana distribution center other than</p> <p>20 those three people we just spoke about that report to</p> <p>21 you?</p> <p>22 A. John Mortelliti would have been the</p> <p>23 regional manager over the site, but he was not there</p> <p>24 at that particular site, but he had oversight of it.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 137</p> <p>1 reconciled, that, you know, the product was safe, you</p> <p>2 know, that the people who had access actually accessed</p> <p>3 it and things of that sort.</p> <p>4 Q. And -- and while you were there, you don't</p> <p>5 have ever -- any memory of any of those audits ever</p> <p>6 covering suspicious order monitoring, do you?</p> <p>7 A. I can't recall whether or not that was a</p> <p>8 question on the audit or not. I...</p> <p>9 Q. Do you have any memory of whether or not</p> <p>10 those audit -- do you have -- strike that.</p> <p>11 Do you have any memory of those audits</p> <p>12 covering suspicious order monitoring?</p> <p>13 A. I don't recall that at all.</p> <p>14 Q. You have no memory?</p> <p>15 A. I -- I don't recall, no.</p> <p>16 (WHEREUPON, a certain document was</p> <p>17 marked CVS - Dugger Deposition</p> <p>18 Exhibit No. 35, for identification,</p> <p>19 as of 01/23/2019.)</p> <p>20 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>21 Q. I'm handing you what's been marked as</p> <p>22 Exhibit 35.</p> <p>23 Do you know what that is?</p> <p>24 A. This would have been the aforemen --</p>

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1 MR. CLARK: I'm sorry. Just take a moment to
 2 look at it.
 3 BY THE WITNESS:
 4 A. The form would have been the
 5 aforementioned DEA mock review or audit quarterly.
 6 BY MR. GOETZ:
 7 Q. Do you see anything related to suspicious
 8 order monitoring on this sheet?
 9 A. On the first sheet or just --
 10 Q. On anywhere.
 11 A. Oh.
 12 Q. Take your time.
 13 A. I don't see anything on here from a
 14 suspicious order monitoring perspective, no.
 15 Q. Every quarter you do this audit, right?
 16 A. I don't know if I did it every quarter,
 17 but it was required to conduct it every quarter.
 18 Q. CVS created the form?
 19 A. I'm not sure who created it. It was a
 20 form that we used here. I don't know who it was
 21 created by.
 22 Q. You didn't create it?
 23 A. I did not create this form.
 24 Q. Somebody at CVS gave it to you?

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1 A. Yes.
 2 Q. And not one question on here relates to
 3 suspicious order monitoring, does it?
 4 A. I don't see anything about -- regarding
 5 that.
 6 Q. Not one question on here relates to are
 7 you doing anything to find orders of unusual size?
 8 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 9 BY THE WITNESS:
 10 A. I don't see that on here at all.
 11 BY MR. GOETZ:
 12 Q. Not -- not one question on here relates to
 13 are you doing anything to find orders that are of
 14 extraordinary quantity?
 15 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 16 BY MR. GOETZ:
 17 Q. Does it?
 18 A. I don't re -- recall seeing that on here.
 19 Q. Not one question relates to are you doing
 20 anything to find orders of unusual frequency?
 21 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 22 BY THE WITNESS:
 23 A. Nope, I don't see that on here.
 24 BY MR. GOETZ:

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1 Q. There -- there is not one question on here
 2 as to whether or not you are doing anything as it
 3 relates to whether or not an order is likely to be
 4 diverted?
 5 MR. CLARK: Object to the form.
 6 BY THE WITNESS:
 7 A. I don't see that on here.
 8 BY MR. GOETZ:
 9 Q. I'm handing you what's been marked as
 10 Exhibit 36.
 11 Do you recognize that doctor -- document,
 12 Mr. Dugger?
 13 A. I see what it says, but I -- I don't
 14 recall ever seeing it.
 15 Q. Could you go to the last page, please.
 16 Is that your signature?
 17 A. Where it says "associate signature," yes.
 18 Q. And -- and that's the date, 6/3/15?
 19 A. Yes.
 20 Q. This document is a summary of your job
 21 responsibilities at The Harvard Drug Group?
 22 A. Yeah, someone typed this up. I don't
 23 know.
 24 Q. Let -- let's go back to the last

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1 page again.
 2 A. Okay.
 3 Q. It -- it says -- why don't you read in the
 4 acknowledgment?
 5 A. "I have read, fully understand and agree
 6 to the responsibilities outlined in this job
 7 description. I also assert that my background and
 8 experience satisfy the minimum requirements of the
 9 position. I have discussed what needs to be
 10 accomplished with my manager and intend to fully" --
 11 I'm sorry -- "to fulfill my commitment to the Harvard
 12 Drug Group to the best of my abilities. The Harvard
 13 Drug Group reserves the right to change and/or modify
 14 the duties and essential functions of this position at
 15 any time."
 16 Q. And you signed it?
 17 A. I did.
 18 Q. Okay. Can you go back to the first page,
 19 please.
 20 Before we -- I ask you that, and I'm --
 21 MR. GOETZ: Man -- Manahan is your last name?
 22 MR. MONAHAN: Monahan.
 23 BY MR. GOETZ:
 24 Q. When you spoke with Mr. Monahan, did you

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 142</p> <p>1 speak at all about what you did at CVS?</p> <p>2 MR. MONAHAN: Objection.</p> <p>3 You can answer that question yes or no.</p> <p>4 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>5 A. Yes.</p> <p>6 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>7 Q. You -- you spoke about what your job was</p> <p>8 at CVS?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. How long did you speak about what your job</p> <p>11 was at CVS?</p> <p>12 A. How long was the duration of the</p> <p>13 conversation or the time that I was there?</p> <p>14 Q. That portion.</p> <p>15 A. Probably, I don't know, five minutes.</p> <p>16 Less than that.</p> <p>17 Q. Okay. And how long did you speak</p> <p>18 generally?</p> <p>19 A. I don't know. From 3 o'clock to 4:30.</p> <p>20 Q. Was the rest of the conversation about</p> <p>21 what your duties and roles were at the Harvard Drug or</p> <p>22 at Cardinal?</p> <p>23 MR. MONAHAN: Objection.</p> <p>24 You can answer that yes or no.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 144</p> <p>1 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>2 Q. Are you going to listen to your counsel?</p> <p>3 A. I am.</p> <p>4 Q. Could you go back to the position summary.</p> <p>5 Do you see that? It says:</p> <p>6 "Under general supervision of the vice</p> <p>7 president, quality assurance and regulatory affairs,</p> <p>8 the distribution center compliance supervisor is the</p> <p>9 main point of contact for the oversight of regulatory</p> <p>10 compliance, safety, and security for the distribution</p> <p>11 center."</p> <p>12 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>13 A. You did.</p> <p>14 Q. And were you the distribution center</p> <p>15 compliance supervisor?</p> <p>16 A. I served that role there, yes.</p> <p>17 Q. And the -- the next paragraph says:</p> <p>18 "The pish" -- "position is responsible</p> <p>19 for, but not limited to: Overseeing, monitoring and</p> <p>20 coordinating all aspects of the distribution center</p> <p>21 compliance including DEA," and then it lists some</p> <p>22 other things.</p> <p>23 Did I read that correctly?</p> <p>24 A. You did.</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 143</p> <p>1 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>2 A. The majority.</p> <p>3 No, it was not.</p> <p>4 BY MR. GOETZ:</p> <p>5 Q. What was the -- the rest of that</p> <p>6 conversation about?</p> <p>7 MR. MONAHAN: Objection; calls for</p> <p>8 attorney/client privilege.</p> <p>9 Instruct him not to --</p> <p>10 MR. GOETZ: Mr. Monahan, I -- I don't understand</p> <p>11 how it is attorney/client privilege when you speak to</p> <p>12 him about what he did while he was at CVS. That I --</p> <p>13 I don't fully understand because it's related to --</p> <p>14 that is -- is CVS's privilege and it relates to that.</p> <p>15 So you can talk to him all you want about</p> <p>16 what he does at the Harvard Drug Group and what he</p> <p>17 does at Cardinal, but I don't understand how you have</p> <p>18 a privilege as to what he did at CVS or any of those</p> <p>19 conversations.</p> <p>20 MR. MONAHAN: The conversation between myself</p> <p>21 and the witness was privileged in its entirety. You</p> <p>22 are not -- I am not going to permit this witness to</p> <p>23 testify about what he talked to me about in that room</p> <p>24 with all counsel.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 145</p> <p>1 Q. Okay. And then down below under 36, it</p> <p>2 says:</p> <p>3 "Remains current with emerging/revised DEA</p> <p>4 and FDA regulations."</p> <p>5 Do you see that?</p> <p>6 A. What line, what number was this?</p> <p>7 Q. Down in Paragraph 2,</p> <p>8 "regulatory/compliance"?</p> <p>9 A. I see that.</p> <p>10 Q. Okay. And do you see Paragraph 7, it</p> <p>11 says:</p> <p>12 "Ensures compliance with all appropriate</p> <p>13 policies, procedures, safety rules and" -- "and state</p> <p>14 and federal regulations with relation to</p> <p>15 pharmaceutical diversion, regulatory compliance and</p> <p>16 profit protection."</p> <p>17 A. I see that.</p> <p>18 Q. I read that correctly?</p> <p>19 And you signed that, that this was your</p> <p>20 job, correct?</p> <p>21 MR. MONAHAN: Objection to form.</p> <p>22 BY THE WITNESS:</p> <p>23 A. I signed it.</p> <p>24 BY MR. GOETZ:</p>

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1 Q. Okay. That -- and you signed it that
 2 these were your responsibilities, you understood them
 3 and you could comply with them?
 4 MR. MONAHAN: Objection to form.
 5 BY THE WITNESS:
 6 A. I signed it, but a lot of these weren't my
 7 full responsibilities there during my time at the
 8 Harvard Drug Group.
 9 BY MR. GOETZ:
 10 Q. Mr. Dugger, can you go back to the
 11 acknowledgment?
 12 A. Yeah, I can go back to the acknowledgment.
 13 And I'm not -- I'm not disputing that I didn't sign
 14 it. What I'm telling you, sir, is that everything in
 15 here, just because I signed it doesn't mean that I was
 16 responsible for everything here. There were other
 17 responsibilities.
 18 Now, if they gave me that responsibility,
 19 if you look at the last sentence there under the
 20 Acknowledgments, things could be modified and, you
 21 know, as relates to some of these things, I may not
 22 have been a part of that. It may have been someone
 23 else's responsibility, so. Yes, I signed the
 24 acknowledgment.

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1 Q. And -- and it says:
 2 "I have read, fully understand, and agree
 3 to the responsibilities outlined in this job
 4 description"?
 5 A. It says that.
 6 Q. When you signed that, you understood these
 7 responsibilities and you agreed to perform them,
 8 correct?
 9 A. If -- if those responsibilities were given
 10 to me, absolutely.
 11 Q. Okay. This says they were given to you.
 12 Am I wrong?
 13 A. It says that, but that doesn't mean that
 14 they were.
 15 Q. Okay. So you didn't do this for -- for
 16 the Harvard Drug Group either?
 17 A. I had nothing to do -- I had nothing to do
 18 with pharmaceutical diversion unless it involved
 19 the -- a theft, that's the only diversion that I would
 20 have been involved with there at the -- at the site.
 21 Q. Did you have anything at the Harvard Drug
 22 Group, anything to do with suspicious order
 23 monitoring?
 24 A. Absolutely not.

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1 Q. Nothing?
 2 A. Zero.
 3 Q. These responsibilities that you agreed to
 4 are false?
 5 MR. MONAHAN: Objection; mischaracterizes the
 6 document.
 7 You can answer.
 8 BY THE WITNESS:
 9 A. I don't know if they are false or not, but
 10 in terms of what I was responsible for, there are a
 11 number of things on here, I would need to read it in
 12 its entirety to tell you what I was fully responsible
 13 for or wholly responsible for, things that I may have
 14 done, but I didn't do anything with any type of
 15 pharmaceutical diversion there at the site.
 16 MR. GOETZ: I think we might be done. Give me
 17 five minutes.
 18 THE WITNESS: Okay.
 19 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at
 20 12:27 p.m.
 21 (WHEREUPON, a recess was had
 22 from 12:27 to 12:35 p.m.)
 23 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are back on the record at
 24 12:35 p.m.

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1 EXAMINATION
 2 BY MR. MONAHAN:
 3 Q. Good afternoon, Mr. Dugger. My name is
 4 Matthew Monahan. I represent Cardinal Health. I just
 5 have a few of questions for you.
 6 Do you mind bringing out Exhibit 36 that
 7 you discussed with Plaintiffs' counsel, please.
 8 And do you remember you were asked some
 9 questions about this document?
 10 A. I do.
 11 Q. And you were directed to review Nos. 2 and
 12 7 under the Primary Duties and Responsibilities,
 13 correct, sir?
 14 A. Yes.
 15 Q. You were not directed to No. 5, were you?
 16 A. I was not.
 17 Q. Could you read No. 5 out loud, please?
 18 A. "With assistance from corporate,
 19 regulatory and compliance personnel, hosts and
 20 supports all distribution center-specific DEA, state
 21 boards of pharmacy, FDA and other government agency
 22 audits and inquiries."
 23 Q. Do you have an understanding of what this
 24 document mean -- means when it refers to corporate,

<p style="text-align: right;">Page 150</p> <p>1 regulatory and compliance personnel?</p> <p>2 A. Yes.</p> <p>3 Q. Can you tell me what that means?</p> <p>4 A. It's referring to the individuals that</p> <p>5 were in Livonia, Michigan that were corporate office.</p> <p>6 Q. And -- sorry. I didn't mean to interrupt.</p> <p>7 A. I'm sorry. Headquarters.</p> <p>8 Q. And that was Harvard Drug's corporate</p> <p>9 headquarters, correct?</p> <p>10 A. That's correct.</p> <p>11 Q. And those individuals, to your knowledge,</p> <p>12 did they have any responsibility for complying with</p> <p>13 DEA regulations?</p> <p>14 A. They did.</p> <p>15 Q. Okay. You can set this document aside,</p> <p>16 sir.</p> <p>17 You were asked some questions earlier</p> <p>18 about individuals named "pickers" and "packers."</p> <p>19 Do you remember that testimony?</p> <p>20 A. I do.</p> <p>21 Q. Do you know what a picker or a packer is?</p> <p>22 A. As relates to CVS, pickers were</p> <p>23 individuals that picked product and the packers were</p> <p>24 those individuals that packed the totes.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 152</p> <p>1 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE</p> <p>2</p> <p>3 I, JULIANA F. ZAJICEK, C.S.R. No. 84-2604,</p> <p>4 a Certified Shorthand Reporter, do hereby certify:</p> <p>5 That previous to the commencement of the</p> <p>6 examination of the witness herein, the witness was</p> <p>7 duly sworn to testify the whole truth concerning the</p> <p>8 matters herein;</p> <p>9 That the foregoing deposition transcript</p> <p>10 was reported stenographically by me, was thereafter</p> <p>11 reduced to typewriting under my personal direction and</p> <p>12 constitutes a true record of the testimony given and</p> <p>13 the proceedings had;</p> <p>14 That the said deposition was taken before</p> <p>15 me at the time and place specified;</p> <p>16 That I am not a relative or employee or</p> <p>17 attorney or counsel, nor a relative or employee of</p> <p>18 such attorney or counsel for any of the parties</p> <p>19 hereto, nor interested directly or indirectly in the</p> <p>20 outcome of this action.</p> <p>21 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I do hereunto set my</p> <p>22 hand on this 27th day of January, 2019.</p> <p>23</p> <p>24 JULIANA F. ZAJICEK, Certified Reporter</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">Page 151</p> <p>1 Q. Did -- did Harvard Drug have pickers and</p> <p>2 packers, to your knowledge?</p> <p>3 A. There were -- they had pickers, yes.</p> <p>4 Q. Were you ever a picker, sir?</p> <p>5 A. I was -- I was never a picker.</p> <p>6 Q. Did you ever supervise pickers?</p> <p>7 A. I never supervised pickers.</p> <p>8 MR. MONAHAN: No more questions.</p> <p>9 MR. GOETZ: I don't have anything further.</p> <p>10 MR. CLARK: We are done.</p> <p>11 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: We are off the record at</p> <p>12 12:37 p.m. This concludes the videotaped deposition</p> <p>13 of Terrence Dugger.</p> <p>14 (Time Noted: 12:37 p.m.)</p> <p>15 FURTHER DEPONENT SAITH NOT.</p> <p>16</p> <p>17</p> <p>18</p> <p>19</p> <p>20</p> <p>21</p> <p>22</p> <p>23</p> <p>24</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Page 153</p> <p>1 DEPOSITION ERRATA SHEET</p> <p>2</p> <p>3</p> <p>4 Case Caption: In Re: National Prescription</p> <p>5 Opiate Litigation</p> <p>6</p> <p>7 DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY</p> <p>8</p> <p>9 I declare under penalty of perjury that I</p> <p>10 have read the entire transcript of my Deposition taken</p> <p>11 in the captioned matter or the same has been read to</p> <p>12 me, and the same is true and accurate, save and except</p> <p>13 for changes and/or corrections, if any, as indicated</p> <p>14 by me on the DEPOSITION ERRATA SHEET hereof, with the</p> <p>15 understanding that I offer these changes as if still</p> <p>16 under oath.</p> <p>17</p> <p>18 TERRENCE DUGGER</p> <p>19</p> <p>20 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO</p> <p>21 before me this day</p> <p>22 of , A.D. 20__.</p> <p>23</p> <p>24 Notary Public</p>

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